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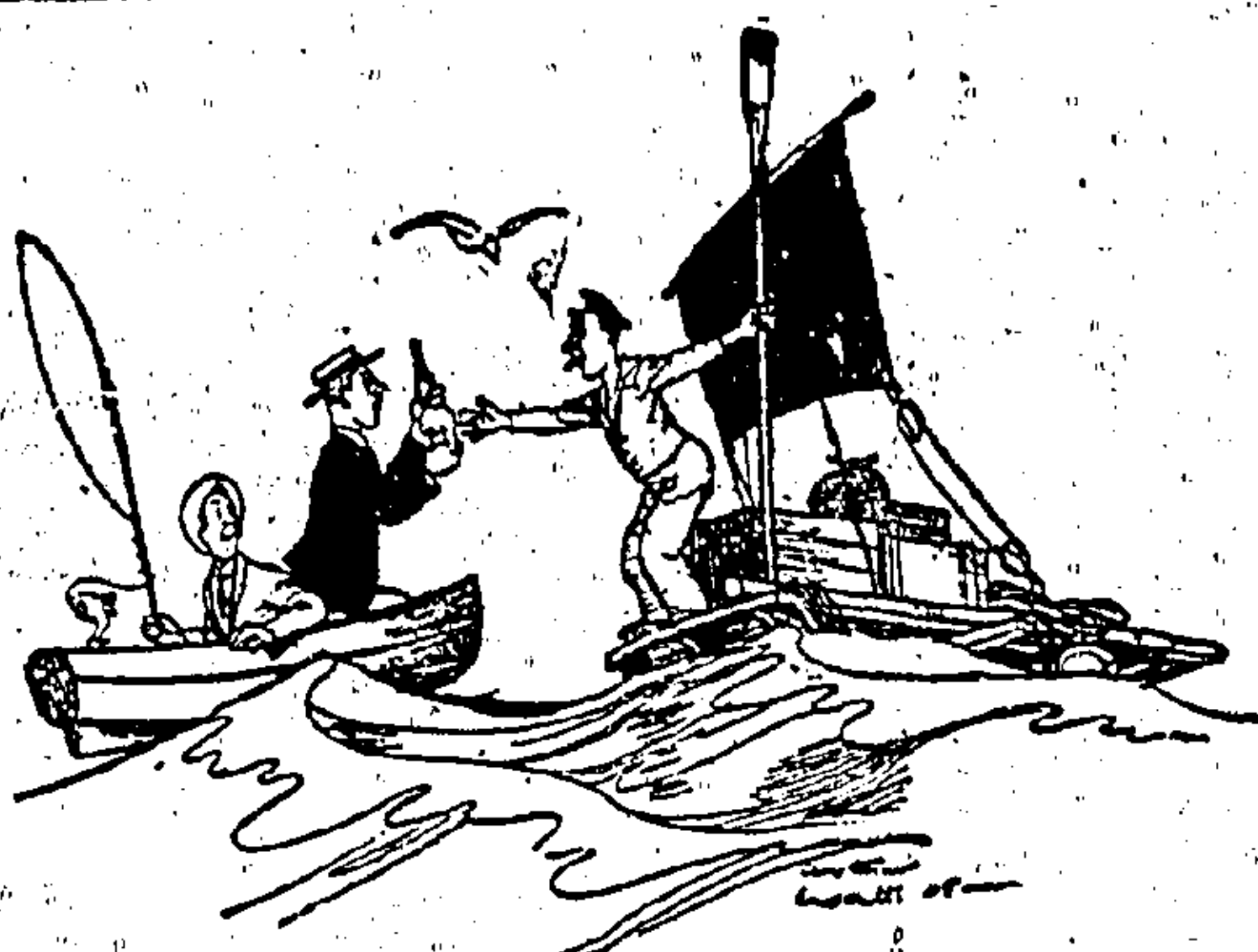
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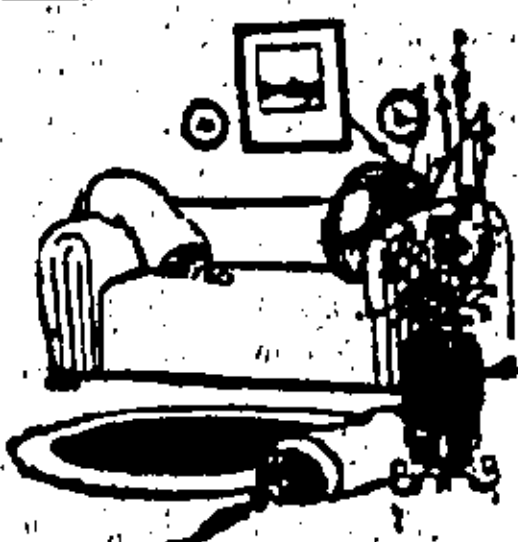
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- 11.—Fruit 12.—Tea 13.—Coffee

SUZANNE AND HER "SHORT" SKIRTS.

VIEWS ON DRESS—AND TENNIS.

TROUSERS NOT FAVOURED FOR WOMEN PLAYERS.

WITH SOME REFERENCES TO HELEN WILLS AND CILLY AUSSEM.

Mrs. Helen Wills Moody has come through another year, or nearly so, unscathed. But the pack is still at her heels, expecting, hoping, praying that someone will "beat" her some day. And of course someone will beat her some day, unless she retires first, which is not likely. That someone may well be Fraulein Cilly Aussem, of Germany.

The demure little brunette has shown more progress in the past twelve months than any other woman who has appeared in Europe. Her shots are surer, her field generalship smarter, and she is gradually conquering a thing which has bothered nearly every woman who ever held a racquet, save perhaps Wills herself, Lenglen, Lili de Alvarez, and one or two brave but obscure players—inferiority complex before a formidable foe.

Inferiority Complex.

Aussem went great guns in the French Championships against everybody, bowled Elizabeth Ryan over, and then wilted before Wills in the semi-finals after four or five games of the first set. And that remains her one big trouble.

She is the equal, barring such a mental hazard, of any woman living in a baseline duel of net-skimming drives. Her volleying is about what any woman's volleying is—with the exception of Alvarez, Lenglen, and Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall—a mere matter of getting the racquet in front of the ball. But she has a chance to learn what the game is like in mid-court. At the net she is probably better than any of her contemporaries, with the possible exception of the former Eileen Bennett, who is hardly any longer a contemporary.

Novel Foot-work!

A few more years, perhaps only one or two, and Herr Froitzheim's pupil may justify all that is said of her. If that time comes she will be another Helen—colourless, placid, matter-of-fact, inflexible until she passes her zenith. The loss to the game of Suzanne Lenglen, Senorita de Alvarez and Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall will annoy the spectator. The beautiful Spanish dancer, skater, crowd-thriller, playing against Helen Jacobs in the semi-finals of the Astoria tournament this year, lost her racquet in

making a difficult return, but rushed undismayed to the net, returning Helen's high lob with the side of her foot, soccer fashion! It gave the fans an extra ten francs' worth, as indeed does the mere sight of her on the court, but it didn't win the match.

Fraulein Aussem will never do anything so spectacular, but she is easy enough on the eyes, a rattling good sport, and should make a popular champion, if the French can be persuaded to disassociate the war and tennis.

Suzanne "Never Can Tell!"

Meanwhile Suzanne Lenglen, replying to a rumour that she might again play amateur tennis and give Helen Wills a thing or two to think about, says:—"I can never tell from one day to the next what I will do. When I quit amateur tennis it was as much a surprise to me as to anyone else. I had not intended to stop until I was forty, the age when women look awkward and uneasy on a court. But there came an offer and—well, I can never tell what I shall do next. I was surprised to find several months later that I no longer had the right to play as an amateur."

Suzanne explained that after five years of non-participation as a professional, she would have the right to be reinstated as an amateur. Whether she would actually do this she would not reveal, but she smiled slyly and admitted that she has not touched a racquet professionally for three years and a half, nor non-professionally or any other way for over a year since her father's death.

Playing This Summer.

"This summer," she declared, "I shall play again. Oh, it won't take me more than a week to get into condition. I am physically fitter than when I last played, and of course I never trained much. I used to practice perhaps ten or fifteen minutes a day—never longer; it was too boring."

Blistered Hands and Feet.

"When people ask me whether I am sorry to have quit amateur tennis I always say 'no.' My offer came at a time when I was sick of living always with blisters on my feet and blisters on my hands."

I did not care if I never saw a tennis-ball again, and I can tell you it was a great relief to do as I pleased every summer—to change my plans a thousand times if I wished, instead of having them all made ahead for me by somebody else.

"Now this summer I am planning to go to Germany. I love the calm and relaxation of the Black Forest. But probably the day before I should leave for Germany I will cancel my plans and go to Spain instead. That is the delightful part of being free."

"Still, I enjoyed tennis, and I shall feel very happy with a racquet in my hand this summer."

Dress Designing.

Mlle. Lenglen has been spending her time lately designing sports dresses for a Paris couturier. Her dresses are simple, with emphasis on comfort of movement. They are fashioned of heavy silk shirt with some of twilled design, others with little figures of golfers, tennis players, or other sportsmen worked into the silk.

"I was probably the first person to introduce short skirts," admits Suzanne, "because I found them easier to play in. Yet it was not long before my skirts were the longest on the courts, because everyone went to such extreme in the matter. To-day the skirts of my dresses are about the same length as those I first introduced—just right for comfort and beauty."

The Famous Bandeau.

The famous Lenglen bandeau to match the little reversible coloured silk jackets which accompany her white tennis dresses are part of the equipment Suzanne designs for each outfit. She never includes the Helen Wills eyeshade as a necessary accessory, however.

"They tell me that Helen Wills is in fine form, and that she intends to play tennis until she is an old woman," says Suzanne. "Well, if I ever play again—and one cannot tell this far ahead—I shall at any event retire before I am old. Women look awful enough when they get hot and perspire on the courts, without being old. And it is for that reason, too, that I shall never wear nor design trousers for tennis. The least we can do is to have as much style as possible, under trying circumstances."

Saying which, the woman who made "style" a byword among tennis players, turned to the styling of a new three-piece frock.

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Diary of Coming Events.

To-day.

(July 3.)

Queen's Theatre: "13th Chair."
Central Theatre: "The Cocoon."

World Theatre: "Valencia"
(Chinese Film "Fiery Serpent" at
2.30 and 7.15 p.m.).

Star Theatre: "Yankee Clipper"
at 3.30 p.m. At 9.15 p.m. Salisbury
Company presents "When Knights
were Bold."

Majestic Theatre: "Infatuation."
Tides: High, 3.59 a.m. and 3.22
p.m.; Low, 8.28 a.m. and 8.57 p.m.

European Mail.—Inward: Europe
via Suez (Kalyan). Outward:
Europe via Siberia (Asama Maru)
8.30 a.m.; Europe via Siberia (Em-
press of Canada).

Friday.

(July 4.)

Independence Day, U.S.A.
"At Home" by the American
Community at American Club, 11.30
a.m.

Queen's Theatre: "13th Chair."
Central Theatre: "The Cocoon."

World Theatre: "12 Miles Out"
(Chinese Film "Fiery Serpent" at
2.30 and 7.15 p.m.).

Star Theatre: "Yankee Clipper"
at 3.30 p.m. At 9.15 p.m. Salisbury
Company presents "When Knights
were Bold."

Majestic Theatre: "Infatuation."
Lammert's Auction of Furniture,
Salesroom, 2.30 p.m.

Dinner Dance: Peninsula Hotel,
8.30 p.m.

Water Polo:—1st Div.: R.A. v.
Chinese Athletic; 2nd Div.: 12th
Heavy Battery R.A. v. University.

European Mail.—Outward:
Europe via Siberia (Siberia Maru),
6 p.m.

Tides: High, 4.43 a.m. and 4.48
p.m.; Low, 10.46 a.m. and 10.45 p.m.

Saturday.

(July 5.)

Golf: Captain's Cup.
Queen's Theatre: "13th Chair."
Central Theatre: "The Cocoon."

World Theatre: "12 Miles
Out" (Chinese Film "Fiery
Serpent" at 2.30 and 7.15 p.m.).

Star Theatre: "Yankee Clipper"
at 3.30 p.m. At 9.15 p.m. Salis-
bury Company presents "So This
Is Love."

Majestic Theatre: "Infatuation."
Tennis:—"C" Division: Nippon
Club v. H.K.C.C. S.C.A.A. v.
K.I.T.C. I.R.C. v. German Club.

Tea Dance: Peninsula Hotel, 5
p.m.

Dinner Dance: Repulse Bay
Hotel, 8.30 p.m.

European Mail.—Outward:
Europe via Marseilles (Karmala),
10.30 a.m.

Tides: High, 5.25 a.m. and 6.11
p.m.; Low, 12.13 p.m. and 11.23 p.m.

Sunday.

(July 6.)

Golf: Captain's Cup.
Tides: High, 6.05 a.m. and 7.30
p.m.; Low, 1.20 p.m.

Monday.

(July 7.)

Water Polo:—1st Div.: Kowloon
S.C. v. Royal Navy; 2nd Div.:
Kowloon S.C. v. 12th Heavy Bat-
tery R.A.

Dinner Dance: H.K. Hotel, 8.30
p.m.

Tides: High, 6.44 a.m. and 8.45
p.m.; Low, 12.05 a.m. and 9.11 p.m.



RADIO FEATURES



FITTING THE GRAMOPHONE PICK-UP.

IMPORTANCE OF CORRECT ALIGNMENT.

[By "COHERER."]

As the current generated by the pick-up is to replace the rectified or detected radio signals, it is obvious that only the low frequency amplifier portion of the set is required.

A connection to the input (grid) of the first low-frequency valve is therefore necessary, and the other connection is taken to the negative side of the filament supply.

With pick-ups lacking in sensitivity, a small biasing voltage in this latter circuit is an advantage, a grid battery of 4 to 6 volts being connected in series.

Volume Control.

It is frequently the case that the voltage generated by the pick-up is greater than the maximum input that the low frequency amplifier employed will handle without distortion.

To avoid this, and also to bring the volume of sound to within reasonable limits when a powerful amplifier is used, a volume control in the form of a variable resistance should be fitted.

The simplest and most favoured method of connection for this resistance is for it to be joined across the terminals of the pick-up, so that the voltage may be varied before it is passed to the grid of the first amplifier.

Although the quality of reproduction of gramophone records obtained from a radio set employing a pick-up depends as much on correct tracking as on the electrical qualities of the instrument, many there are who are content to just plug the pick-up on an existing tone-arm as a means of tracking, little knowing that the observation of a few points in mounting may improve the quality of reproduction by 50 per cent. or more.

That the swivel position of a gramophone tone-arm does not always function perfectly as a carrier for the electrical instrument is becoming increasingly evident from the fact that later models of the pick-up are supplied complete with a carrier arm with detailed instructions as to the mounting of the base portion on the turn-table cabinet.

The previous article, explaining the action of the recorded impression of sound on the pick-up, should be sufficient to convince readers of the importance of accuracy of tracking over the complete surface of the record.

Correct Alignment.

Obviously, for the most perfect results, the instrument should be so mounted that the needle lies in a plane tangential to the record groove at the point of contact, and that this disposition should apply throughout the run of the record. This of course means that the pick-up would have to be constantly at right angles to the surface of the record; the carrier-arm describing an arc and not a straight line. Such an ideal arrangement is unfortunately not possible. Steps have therefore to be taken to reduce the degree of deviation from the right angle as much as possible and, moreover, to have such degree practically constant from the edge to the centre of the record.

As the path of the pick-up will describe a steeper curve with a short carrier-arm than with a long one, it is advisable to make use of the maximum distance, commensurate with the size of the cabinet, between the centre of the turntable and the mounting of the carrier.

Mounting the Pick-up.

Templates are supplied with many makes of carrier-arm which render the mounting of the instrument for best results quite a simple matter. When no template is supplied, a fairly good track will be obtained if, before being screwed down, the base is tried in various positions and the arm swivelled across the turntable until a position is reached where the pick-up strikes a point about half an inch below the pivot of the turntable.

Connection to Set.

Having arrived at a satisfactory position for the pick-up, the next point to consider is its connection to the radio-set.

Most factory-made sets have terminals fitted for gramophone pick-up connections, but where these are not fitted, the conversion of radio to gramophone is quite a simple matter.

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

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11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

12.30 p.m.—Mid-day European Programme of Victor Records selected and supplied by Tsang Fook Music Co.

1.30 p.m.—Weather report and local time. Mid-day programme continued.

2 p.m.—Close down.

6 to 6.30 p.m.—Childrens programme. "Auntie Pat," Uncle Dick, and Uncle Jeff will entertain the Kiddies.

6.30 to 8 p.m.—European programme of Victor Records selected and supplied by The Tsang Fook Music Co.

"William Tell-Overture," Arthur Pryor's Band.

"Letter of Love" and "At Evening," Misha Eiman, Violin Solo and Piano by Josef Bouime.

"Simple Confession" and "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," Neapolitan Trio.

"Gems from Tales of Hoffman" and "Gems from Mignon," Victor Opera Co.

"You, You Alone" and "For You," John Boles and Orchestra.

"Love Everlasting" and "In the Days Gone By," Victor Salon Orchestra.

"Prison Song" and "Serenade," Amelita Galli-Curci.

"Selections from Meftahofele" and "Meftahofele," Creator's Band.

"Waltz in C Sharp, Minor" and "Etude in A Flat Major," Alfred Cortet.

7.30 p.m.—From the Studio. a Pianoforte interlude by Mr. Ronald Paget Musical Director, Salisbury Players.

(a) Rattle of Spring (Sind-

bad).

(b) Carmen Selection (Bizet).

(c) Loose Ellows (Mayere).

7.45 p.m.—Gramophone programme continued.

"A Little Posy" and "My Sunshine," Enrice Caruso.

"Pagliacci-Fantasy," Marek Weber and his Orchestra.

8 to 8.30 p.m.—Chinese programme.

8.30 p.m.—Weather report and local time. Chinese programme continued.

10.30 p.m.—Close down.

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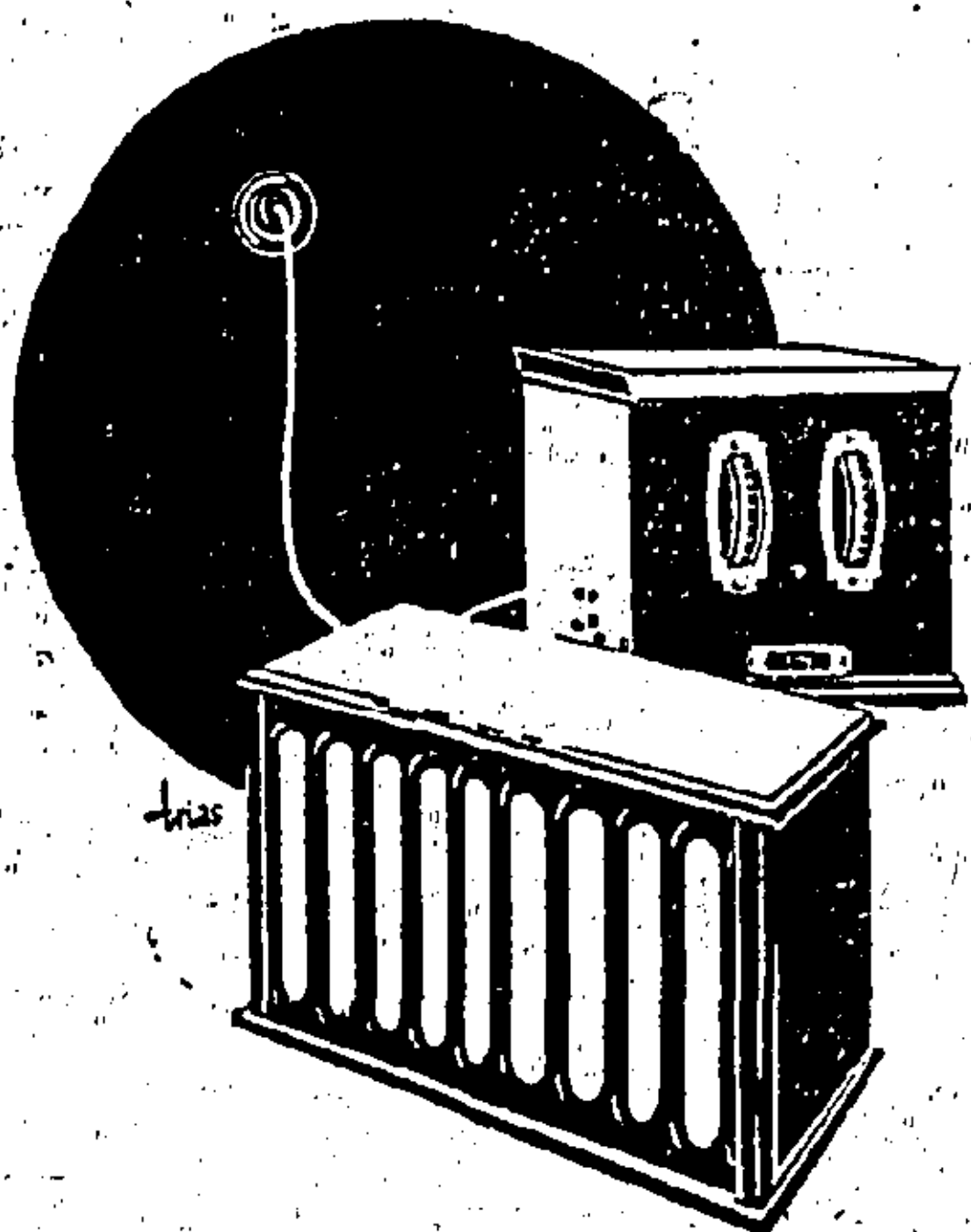
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LONG-WAVE STATIONS.

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260	Manila	K.Z.I.B.	1,153
277	Shanghai	K.S.M.S.	1,085
290	Tientsin	C.R.C.	1,070
310	Shanghai	K.R.C.	957
320	Peking	J.O.A.K.	870
345	Tokyo	J.O.A.K.	870
353	Hiroshima	J.O.A.K.	870
353	Hong Kong	Z.B.W.	846
357	Bombay	V.U.B.	840
361	Sapporo	J.O.I.K.	830
366	Keijo	J.O.D.K.	820
370	Nagoya	J.O.C.K.	810
370.4	Calcutta	V.U.C.	809.9
380	Kumamoto	J.O.G.K.	790
390	Sendai	J.O.H.K.	770
395	Dairen	J.D.A.K.	760
398	Rangoon	V.U.R.	754
400	Osaka	J.O.B.K.	750
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413	Manila	K.Z.E.M.	723

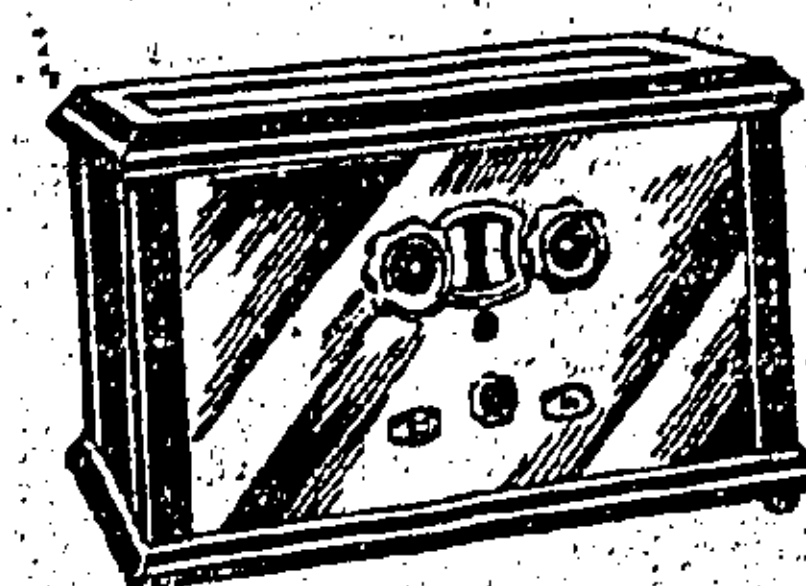
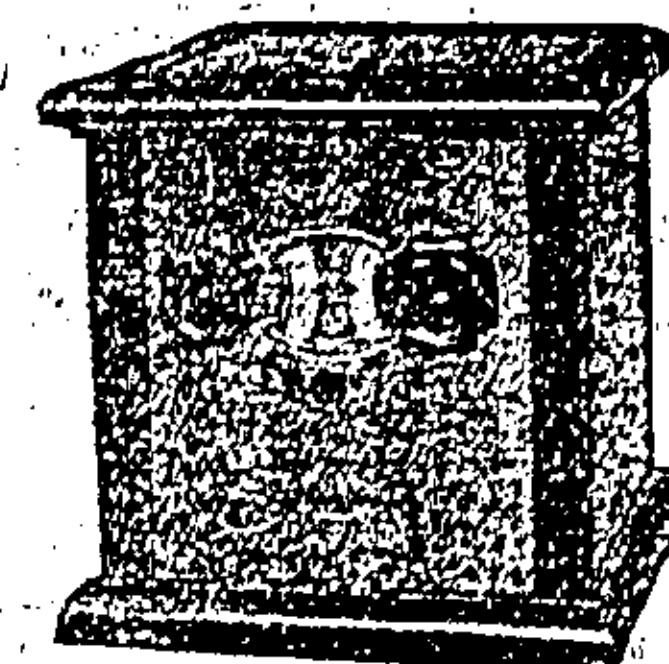
SHORT-WAVE STATIONS.

Wave length (Metres)	Station	Call Sign	Kilo-cycle	Time (Hong Kong or Working)
67.65	Dobnitz (Germany)	A.F.K.	4,434	Mon., Wed. & Fri., 6 p.m. & 2 a.m.
60.12	Khabarovsk (Russia)	R.A.G.	5,000	6-10 p.m. Not regular
56.7	Nauen	A.G.J.	5,261	Not regular
50	Moscow	E.F.N.	6,000	Tues., Thurs., Sat., 8 p.m.
43.5	Bombay	I.M.A.	6,896	Sunday midnight
42	Yerba	G.A.G.	7,143	Daily 6.30 p.m. & 11 p.m.
41.3	Singapore	V.S.I.A.B.	7,210	Not regular
38.6	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	7,730	Daily 11 a.m.
37	Bangkok (Siam)	H.S.A.P.J.	8,108	Tues. & Fri., 9 p.m.—1 a.m.
35.6	Sydney	2.B.L.	8,230	Not regular
31.65	Melbourne	3.L.O.	9,503	Not regular
31.43	Schenectady	W.X.A.P.	9,530	Daily 7 a.m.
31.20	Einshoven (Holland)	P.C.J.	9,620	Fri. 3 a.m., Sat. 3 a.m. & 10 a.m.
31.28	Sydney	2.F.C.	9,590	Not regular
31	Nairobi (Kenya)	7.L.O.	9,677	Midnight daily
28.5	Sydney	2.M.E.	10,525	Not regular
27.8	Bombay	P.L.R.	11,020	Midnight—3 a.m. daily
26.53	Oselsford (England)	G.S.W.	11,751	7.30 p.m. & 3 a.m. daily, except Saturday and Sunday
24.5	Manila	K.I.X.E.	12,240	Nightly
23.35	Schenectady	W.X.X.O.	12,850	4 a.m., Wed., Fri., Sat.
18.96	Bombay	P.L.G.	16,102	Daily 6.30 p.m. to midnight
18.4	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.L.	16,304	Daily 7 p.m.
17.4	Bombay	P.L.F.	17,280	Daily 8 p.m. to midnight
16.9	Bangkok	H.S.I.P.J.	17,751	Sundays 7 p.m. & midnight
16.88	Hulsen (Holland)	P.H.I.	17,793	Daily 10 p.m.
16.3	Kootwijk (Holland)	P.C.K.	18,404	Each afternoon
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"I'm your auntie on your father's side."
"Then you're on the wrong side."

Teacher: "If you subtract 14 from 116, what's the difference?"
Johnny: "Yeah, I think it's a lot of foolishness, too."

Mopsy: "Whatever has become of that fascinating-looking soda-jerker who used to wait on us here?"
Barbara: "I can't imagine, my dear—I haven't seen him in a month of sundays!"

Construction Foreman: "Boss, we need another ton o' sand to finish this job."
Contractor: "All right. Boy, run down to the store and get a nickel's worth of spinach."

Friendly Lady (speaking to two little girls passing by her home): "Where are you going in such a hurry?"
One Little Girl: "To buy some candy."

Friendly Lady: "And what kind of candy are you going to buy?"
Same Little Girl: "Don't know. Taint my penny."

In the final examinations conducted in a Chicago high school, the following question was asked: "What is the essential thing about the earth from an agricultural standpoint?"

One answer read: "The essential thing about the earth from an agricultural standpoint is that it revolves on its axis, thereby providing for the rotation of crops."

Sergeant (drilling awkward squad): "Company! Attention. Company, lift up your left leg and hold it straight out in front of you!"

One of the squad held up his right leg by mistake. This brought his righthand companion's left leg and his own right leg close together. The officer, seeing this, exclaimed: "And who is that fellow over there holding up both legs?"

"Your son seems to be on the road to success."
"There's no doubt of it; only a few years ago he was wearing my cast-off clothing—now I'm wearing his!"

Student: "Say, I wanna exchange this textbook."
Clerk: "Why, you've had it a whole term."
Student: "But I just found out that every other page is missing."

Mr. Newlywed: "Dear, that's a very expensive hat you've bought. I'll have to economize in some manner. If I saved barber's bills by shaving myself, how would you help out?"
Wife (thoughtfully): "Oh, I know! I'll cut your hair."

Grandma cleans the kitchens, Sister does the stairs; Father cleans the cellar, Brother scrubs the chairs. Mother cleans my face and hands, Well as she is able, And when it comes to eating time, We all help clean the table.

A customer sat down to table in a smart restaurant and tied his napkin round his neck. The manager, scandalized, called a boy and said to him:

"Try to make him understand as tactfully as possible that that's not done."
Boy (seriously, to customer): "A shave or haircut, sir?"

A fellow saw an advertisement in a bird-shop window for a man to retail imported parrots. He stopped, examined the placard closely, and entered the shop.

"I notice," he said, "that you are advertising for a man to retail imported parrots."
"Yes," replied the proprietor, "have you had any experience in that line?"

"Oh, no," said the other, airily; "I merely wanted to know how the parrots lost their tails!"

THE WORLD AT ITS WORST

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



WHEN YOU'RE HALFWAY ROUND THE BASES ON YOUR FIRST HOME RUN OF THE SEASON, THE FIRE ENGINE GOES BY AND THE BALL GAME AUTOMATICALLY IS CALLED OFF

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FUR COAT BROUGHT TO COURT.

A SHANGHAI CASE.

LADY SUED IN THE U.S. COURT.

The old adage "Let the buyer beware" was recalled on June 27 in the U.S. Court for China, Shanghai, when Judge Milton D. Purdy gave judgment against Miss Mary E. Clifford for \$290, in settlement of an unpaid bill for a fur coat bought at Hong Zang & Co. Miss Clifford bought the coat on December 13 and presented a cheque for \$294, postdated January 23, on December 20. Fourteen dollars was for a velvet jacket for which she subsequently paid, not, however, paying for her coat. When the cheque was presented to the bank it was returned with the information that Miss Clifford had stopped payment. Hong Zang & Co. then filed suit in the U.S. Court for China against Miss Clifford. Mr. J. B. Davies acted for the plaintiff, Miss Clifford was not represented.

King Hang-zung, manager of Hong Zang & Co. for the past fourteen years appeared as witness for the plaintiff. He stated that he had been dealing in furs for fourteen years and knew them thoroughly. The skin for the coat in question, witness affirmed, came from Europe and was not inferior in any way. Miss Clifford, witness stated, had kept the coat in her possession for more than thirty days and had worn it in the winter rain and snow. No guarantee had been requested when she bought the coat.

Rips and Repairs.

Miss Clifford who is employed as stenographer by the Customs, next took the witness stand. She stated that the coat had ripped on repeated occasions, and that the skin was very inferior, and that it was worth nothing. She had taken it back to the shop to be repaired shortly after its purchase. It had again ripped and fallen to pieces. She then took the coat back a second time and stopped payment on her cheque.

Mr. Torsten Hultman appeared next as witness for the defence. He stated that Miss Clifford had been his stenographer during the time when he was with the Customs. At that time he had, on repeated occasions, seen the coat rip. Miss Clifford, witness stated, had only worn the coat a few times although she had the coat in her possession for a month. She had two other fur coats, and wore those most of the time. Mr. Hultman had advised Miss Clifford to return the coat, as he believed it to be worthless.

Does Anyone Need a Fur Coat?

In summing up the case Judge Purdy stated that all fur coats occasionally and that as Miss Clifford had not had the opinion of a fur expert on the coat she must pay for her bad judgment in selecting one which did not suit her. He agreed that it was a bad bargain and regretted that it must be paid for in money as well as experience.

THE SILVER SCREEN.

"13TH CHAIR" STAR IN FORMER STAGE ROLE.

Margaret Wycherly, a famous New York stage star, makes her debut in talking pictures in "The Thirteenth Chair," playing the rôle of "Rosalie La Grange," which she created on the stage. The all-talking Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mystery thriller is now playing at the Queen's Theatre. Tod Browning directed the play, a detective mystery of Calcutta, with a cast that includes Conrad Nagel, Leila Hyams, Mary Forbes, Helene Millard, Bela Lugosi, Holmes Herbert, Cyril Chadwick, and others of note.

The stage play was written by Bayard Voiller, author of "Within the Law," "The Trial of Mary Dugan," and other successes.

Pathos Behind Brendel's Fun.

El Brendel, up to the time the war broke out, was a German comedian. Now he does Swede character parts in his inimitable serio-comic vein. He made a tremendous hit in "The Cock-Eyed World" and is repeating his success in "Happy Days," a laughing, singing, and dancing marvel of the Fox Movietone screen, presented by an ensemble of a billion dollars' worth of stars.

This super-production will be the attraction at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday, where it will remain for a run of five days.

All players at the Fox Movietone City appear in "Happy Days," and besides Brendel the 100 entertainers include Will Rogers, James J. Corbett, Janet Gaynor, Charles Farrell, Walter Catlett, William Collier, Sr., Ann Pennington, Sharon Lynn, Marjorie White, Richard Kean, "Whispering" Jack Smith, Dixie Lee, J. Harold Murray, George MacFarlane, Victor McLaglen, Edmund Lowe, Tom Patricola, Warner Baxter, and George Olsen and his music.

"Happy Days" is a Benjamin Stoloff production, with Walter Catlett as stage director, and Earl Lindsay in charge of the dance ensembles.

"The Cocoanuts" at Central Theatre.

"The Cocoanuts," which will open a seven days' run at the Central Theatre beginning to-day, is the first film musical comedy as such. Here is the method of musical comedy brought to the screen, all-talking, all-singing, all-dancing, all-laughing. And through it all the Marx Bros. the world's four funniest men, the most high-powered and popular comedy team on the Broadway stage, twist a gay thread of laughter.

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POSTAGE STAMPS.

WEEKLY NOTES FOR COLLECTORS.

VARIATIONS IN HONG KONG'S FIRST ISSUES.

"BY" "W.S."

As previously stated, a design for each value was sent with Sir Hercules Robinson's despatch of March 9, 1861, making a requisition for postage-stamps for Hong Kong. The original document is in the Public Records Office, London, but having procured a facsimile of each stamp, it is possible to give a few interesting points concerning them. In stating that the drawings cannot claim originality, no desire exists to deprive the responsible artist of honour due or to belittle his effort, as it should be understood that originality was not intended. It was purely to give the engraver an intelligent idea of the formation of the required Chinese characters, and their distinctive values.

The First Issue.

The general design consists of a profile drawing of Queen Victoria facing left, surrounded by a double-lined rectangle, between the lines of which appear "Hong Kong" and the values in both English and Chinese, in the same position as eventually appeared on the printed stamps (it having been left to the printers to fill in the ornamental crosses at the corners and the horizontally-lined background). The Queen's head is of the conventional style common to many stamps issued prior to 1881, the drawing of which was originally executed by William Wyon, to be adopted on a medal struck for the occasion when Queen Victoria entered the City of London for the first time after her accession.

Many Variations.

The first issue resulting from the above-mentioned design marks an appreciable simplicity which has characterized all the stamps of this Colony, and but for the fact that the work of engraving the plates was performed either hurriedly or carelessly, there would have been little with which to find fault. On close inspection a number of variations are seen to exist, even in those portions of the design which might have been made identical. The diadem, which consists of a jewelled band, surmounted by a cross, fleur-de-lis and trefoil, is very badly finished, with the result that retouches are noticeable on each value. Furthermore, a lack of uniformity exists which can be seen quite easily even by the casual observer, particularly in the sizes of the figures and words of the various values. Another unhappy feature with all the Queen Victoria issues is that sufficient space was not allowed between the stamps, with the result that the perforations invariably break into the design, making it extremely difficult for collectors to obtain the standard of well-centred stamps desirable for the arrangement of a first-class collection.

"Cramming Stamps Down People's Throats."

The first postage-stamps having been placed on sale, it is of more than passing interest to note the attitude of the public toward their use. In view of the letter dated October 17, 1861, addressed to the Colonial Government by the Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, pointing out the advantages which would accrue by the introduction of postage stamps, the following extract from the *Overland China Mail*, April 1, 1864, appears awkward and indignant: "It will be remembered that soon after the arrival of that batch the Government had sent for to England before the Chamber's proposals were made, the use of stamps was found to be irksome and fell into general neglect. In spite of this the Government crammed stamps down people's throats." The acid contained in the last sentence was probably due to "Government Notification" dated January 22, 1864, which made the use of Hong Kong postage-stamps no longer optional, but compulsory.

An Unpopular Step.

That the introduction of postage-stamps was not popular is clear from the following paragraph copied from Mr. W. Mitchell's Annual Report dated March 11, 1865: "The compulsory use of Colonial postage-stamps in payment of postage in Hong Kong, and also at the Ports, has met with complete success, and although great opposition was made to the measure at the outset, it is now, I believe, admitted on all sides to have advantages over the old system of payments in money, and so far as the Department and its Agencies are concerned, the introduction and use of stamps has been found an improvement."

The great opposition referred to by Mr. Mitchell appears to have been not altogether unwarranted, since the postal rate of a letter, via Marseilles, was thirty cents and necessitated the licking of no less than four stamps to cover this amount. This was not due to oversight, neither was it due to lack of foresight on the part of the postal authorities, but to the change in postal rates, hurriedly adopted just previous to the stamps being issued, brought about by the resumption of a second mail each month which required the payment of a subsidy to the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company for this service.

New Values Ordered.

The need of other values being evident by this change, an order was sent to London for a supply of four-cent, six-cent and thirty-cent stamps. The supply was completed by the end of July, 1863, and the following "Post Office Notification" was posted on August 15: "With reference to Government Notification No. 125, which was published in the *Government Gazette* No. 49 of November 29, last, it is hereby notified that the Colonial postage-stamps of four cents, six cents, and thirty cents, in addition to the stamps mentioned in the said Notification, will be issued from this Department on the terms therein set forth."

Collectors, Take Note!

Errors and varieties of colour are not always what they seem, particularly when they emanate from tropical climes.

Foresight is intelligent anticipation of the possible or probable; hence, August 1 and October 1.

Despite the prejudice, use post-chettes freely, making sure that they are of ample proportions and that they house the stamp comfortably, without danger of creasing or cockling.

The extent of speculation in the recently issued 3c. Guatemala stamp surcharged Air Mail is disclosed by a Central American correspondent of *Scott's Monthly Journal*. He states that 500 sheets were issued, and that they were bought as follows:—

	sheets
Cashier-General Post Office	300
Book-keeper of General Post Office	50
Secretary of General Post Office	50
Chief Stamp Clerk of General Post Office	30
Secretary of Guatemala City Post Office	50
Sold to Public	20

Another correspondent pointed out that as there is no 3c. rate for air-mail letters in Guatemala, the issue was an entirely speculative one.

At the third annual International Stamp Bourse held in London recently some thousands of pounds' worth of stamps changed hands during the first day, one deal in rare Spanish specimens, involving £800. Experts were seen paying "through the nose" for imperfections such as an omitted accent on the word *Sacraton* on a chilling Irish Free State stamp of 1922 valued at 23s.

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AMAZING ALLEGATIONS.

When Rudolph Valentino died suddenly in New York he was \$165,000 in debt, but an idolizing public and a canny executor have created a \$500,000 estate, if one is to believe the attorneys for the executor.

Those who could not forget the Valentino who flashed gaily across the screen clamored for his neckties, his handkerchiefs, and even his garters. There was \$35,000 worth of what counsel blandly called "junk" which the public bought for \$85,000.

S. George Ullman is the executor, and relatives of Valentino have had him ousted, at least temporarily, by accusing him of malfeasance.

Rudy's brother and sister, Alberto Guglielmi and Marie Guglielmi Strada, claim that Ullman loaned money to a firm in financial straits, to an individual without prospects, and did strange things with the property.

"Listen," said George Grier, attorney for Ullman. "When Valentino died in 1926, he was \$165,000 in debt and Ullman, through his management, has virtually created a \$500,000 estate."

"Right at the start, Ullman found about \$18,000 worth of junk, such as sword, that belonged to Valentino. He put over a big auction."

The great screen lover, it seems, had shied after 'shill' of books, but no bookplate. Ullman, fixed that.

"Ullman decided he needed one to get rid of Rudy's books," Grier continued, "so he had a 'cock plate' made and had it placed in all of the books. The public bought them. Some of the 25 cent paper-covered books went for \$5, \$10 and even more."

"When Valentino died he owed Art Cinema \$165,000. His real estate was plastered with liens, mortgages and everything else. The only thing he really did own was two shares in this producing company. Ullman, was secretary and treasurer, and the only thing the corporation owned were two pictures. Out of these Ullman has made around \$500,000 for the estate, showing them everywhere—down in China, where they don't know Rudy is dead!"

PASSENGERS

Arrivals.

The following passengers arrived by the m.s. Fulda on Monday:—Mr. J. S. Martinez, Mr. G. S. Alvarez, Miss S. V. Alvarez, Mr. J. M. Saez, Mr. L. Scott, Mr. C. de Ganahl, Mrs. F. de Ganahl, Mr. G. K. Nizamaddin, Mr. N. M. Surattee, Mr. H. Loch, Rev. J. Walsh, Mr. I. C. Martin, Mrs. An Calderon, Miss P. Calderon, Miss E. Calderon, Mr. C. Eistein, Mr. Chang Wing, Mr. F. Meyer, Mr. Cock Wah Lee, and Mr. Yap Boon Kooey.

Departures.

The following passengers arrived from England on Tuesday by m.s. Aeneas:—Mr. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. F. Fitzgerald, Mr. H. V. G. Li, Mr. J. W. McMaster, Mr. G. Butchart, Mr. V. H. Loureiro, Mr. R. M. Sandbach.

The following passengers left Hong Kong by the m.s. Fulda on Tuesday:—Mr. H. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. F. Fitzgerald, Mr. H. V. G. Li, Mr. J. W. McMaster, Mr. G. Butchart, Mr. V. H. Loureiro, Mr. R. M. Sandbach.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

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Boys:—A3 St. Albans, A5 Nagara, A6 Van Heutz, B7 Kalgan, A8 Ermland, B9 Taiyuan, B21 Apoy, B24 Michigan, A27 Lyeemmon, A28 Thames Maru, A29 Siberia Maru, B32 Fooshing, C33 Chak Sang, C35 Shun Chih, B36 Seisan, C37 Haldi, B38 Ning Ching, B39 Wing Wo, C41 Dorry.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The Ben Line s.s. Benwyvis from Europe and Straits left Singapore for this port on June 30, and is due to arrive here on July 4.

The s.s. Kalgan left Singapore for this port on the 29th ultimo, at 9 a.m., with the outward English mails, and is due here to-day at about 2 p.m.

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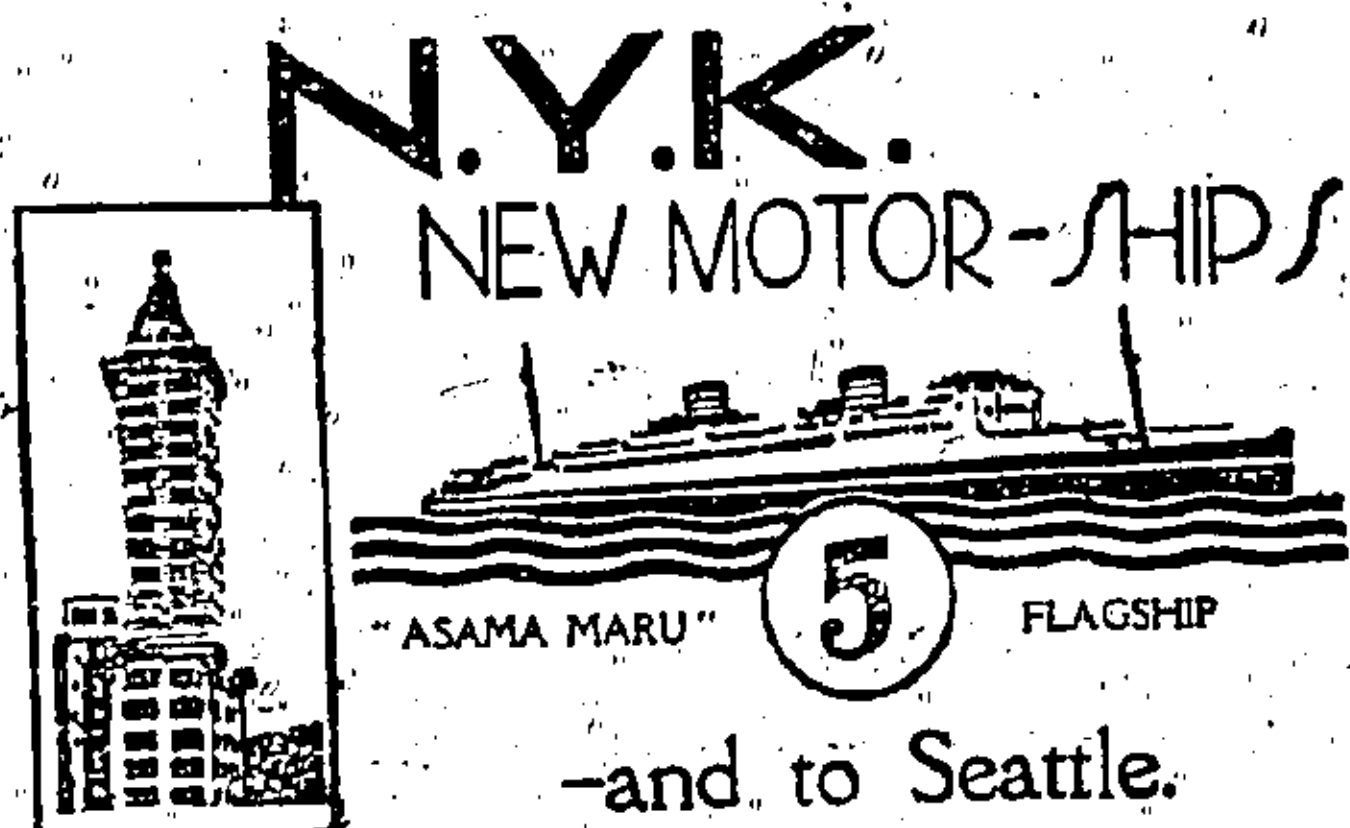
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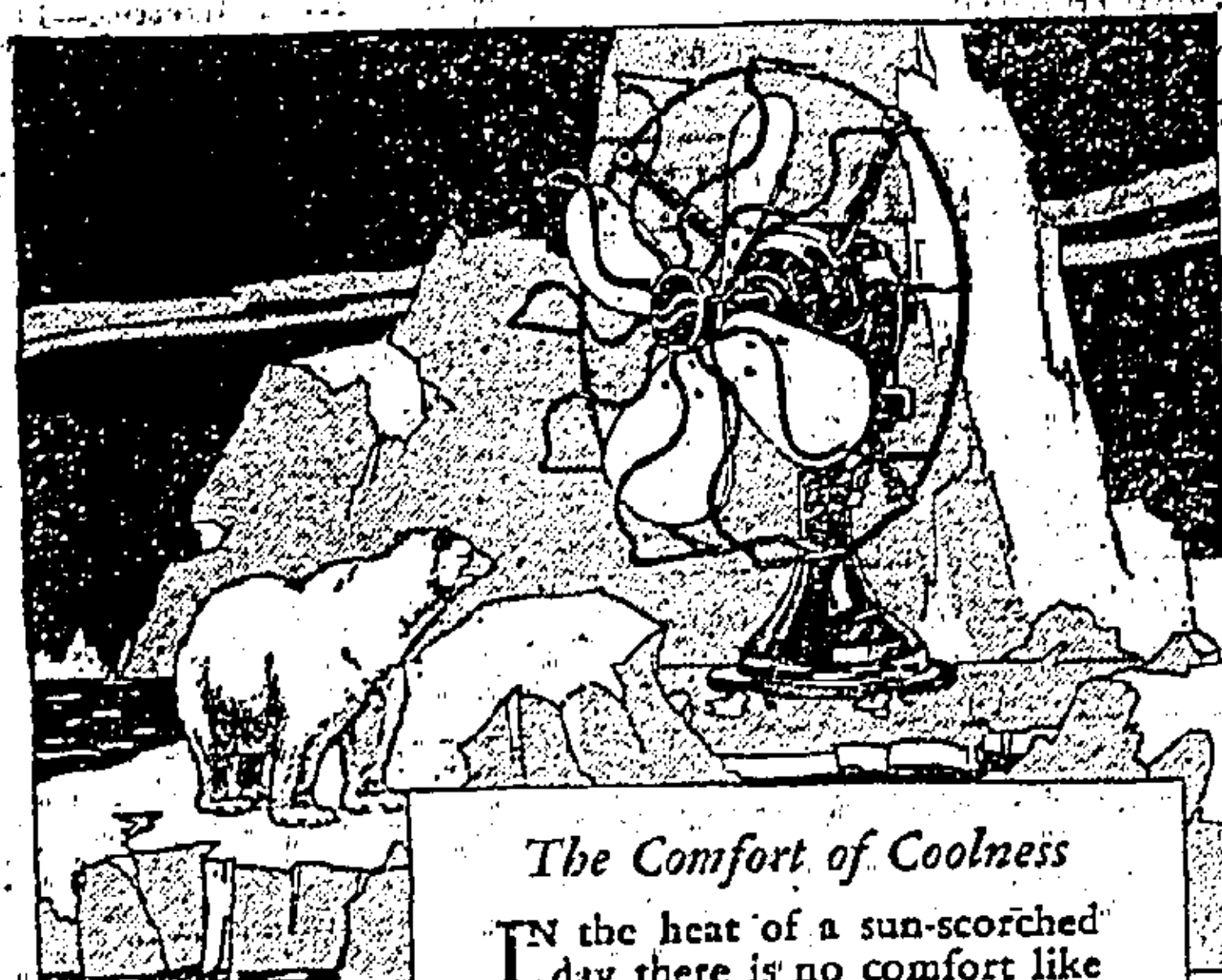
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EXCITING TIMES IN MOSCOW.

COMMUNIST CONGRESS MARKED BY LIVELY DEBATES.

Moscow, June 26.—The press features the 16th Communist Congress without, however, revealing details of what are rumoured to have been extremely lively debates. The congress has been transferred from the Kremlin to the great theatre in the centre of the city the building being guarded by soldiers with fixed bayonets and pedestrians not being permitted even to walk on the sidewalk bordering on the building.

Stalin in the Saddle.

Moscow, June 27.—The sixteenth congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union to-day elected the party's new executive committee which will comprise Comrades Stalin, Voroshiloff, Rykoff, Mikoyan and several others. The address made at to-day's sitting by Stalin and General Blucher were, it is stated, received with extraordinary applause. Several hundred thousand people took part in a demonstration in honour of the congress and in favour of an unrestricted execution of the Piatiletke, the five years industrialization scheme. All the really important debates of the congress were held in camera.

The Tail Wags the Dog.

Statistics published here in connection with the congress of the Communist Party of the Soviet Union give the total number of members of the party as well as of so-called candidates who have not yet been admitted to full membership, but including those in the Red Army at 1,852,000 as against 1,302,800 at the beginning of the present year. Of this total 249,500 are women. The number of Communists in the Red Army totals 120,500, 68.2 per cent. of the total are labourers, 18.7 per cent. peasants, 12.1 per cent. employees and 1 per cent. "others."

A ONE-MAN CIGARETTE FACTORY.

"SPECIAL BLEND" WHILE YOU WAIT.

[UNITED PRESS.]

A one-man tobacco factory which may take rank as the most unusual in the world has been set up outside the Chienmen Gate in Peking by a wrinkled old Chinese artisan with a perpetual smile.

The old man is an employer, too. He engages a number of Chinese children, boys and girls, to search the streets of Peking for discarded cigarette butts, his sole source of supply. The children pounce on cigarette ends as soon as they are thrown away, and exclaim joyfully when some improvident smoker throws away the larger part of his cigarette.

The one-man factory does not conceal its methods. The old man sits cross legged at the side of the street, and will make his special blend "cigarettes for you while you wait. Everything is done in the open air.

One of the children appears with a small basket filled with cigarette butts. The old man begins carefully to unravel them, taking care to remove all the tobacco they contain.

Usually he keeps the different kinds of cigarette ends separate, as his patrons often have preferences for one kind or another. A ricksha coolie comes along, and orders a single cigarette, usually designating the kind of tobacco he prefers. The old man selects a number of butts of the kind mentioned, and skillfully rolls the tobacco into a new cigarette. The patron goes off happy.

The one-man factory apparently is prosperous. There is a steady demand for the "special blend," which is made while you wait. And the supply of cigarette butts is endless, thanks to the children.

ELECTROCUTION FOR MOSQUITOES.

INGENIOUS METHOD ON DANUBE.

Vienna, June 26.—[The municipality has decided to take novel steps to cope with the present summer's unprecedented mosquito plague which renders bathing in the Danube impossible. Powerful lights with high tension wire screens will be placed along the beach to attract and kill the pests. Experiments with but a few lamps proved a complete success and it is, therefore, hoped that their application on a large scale will rid the city and its environment of the nuisance.

MISSING MILLIARDS IN FRANCE.

PREMIER'S SUCCESSFUL DEFENCE IN CHAMBER.

Paris, June 26.—After a highly dramatic debate the Chamber to-day rejected by 330 votes to 293 votes the Socialist motion demanding that the Government should render the Chamber's budget committee a detailed account of the disbursements made without the sanction of the Chamber.

The Socialist deputy, Vincent Auriol, opened the debate with the declaration that the country was badly alarmed at the fact that milliards of France had been disbursed on secret armaments which would inevitably lead to a continued orgy of spending for similar purposes and result in the exhaustion of the reserves of the Treasury and the insolvency of the country.

He further emphasized that more than Frs. 6,000,000,000 had been spent for military purposes outside of the sums allotted therefor by Parliament and expressed astonishment at Mr. Tardieu's intention to have the matter hushed up.

The Premier replied by assuming the offensive and branding the attacks on the government as grossly unjust and deplorable on account of the unpleasant reverberations they already had abroad. Furthermore the Premier declared that the Chamber's budget committee had been fully apprised of the extraordinary expenditure which had been rendered inevitable by the need to replace obsolete war-material and to modernize the army by exploiting the latest achievements of science.

At this juncture the Premier evoked lively applause from the benches of the Right by the use of the magic word "security." However, throughout his speech he completely evaded the actual issue of the Socialist motion and refrained from quoting figures beyond assuring the House that Frs. 5,000,000,000 for the country's economic development were still in the coffers of the Treasury, finally announcing that the Cabinet would make the rejection of the Socialist motion a question of confidence, which, as had been expected, resulted in the defeat of the motion without the matter of the missing milliards having been cleared up.

U.S. WAR VETERANS BILL.

MEASURE STRONGLY DENOUNCED BY PRESIDENT.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, June 24.—President Hoover to-day issued a strong denunciation of the War Veterans' Bill which was passed by the Senate by an overwhelming vote yesterday.

This is construed as positive indication that the President intends to veto the measure, basing his action on the points that the Bill is out of line with traditional American policy in aiding only those veterans who are destitute or suffering from injury incurred in the service of their country, and the overwhelming extra tax burden which it will impose on the people of the United States.

The Administration's revelation of costs in this connection, coupled with publicity which has been given the allegedly over-liberal provisions of the Bill in recognizing disabilities at dates remote from the close of the war, has admittedly placed Congress in an embarrassing position in facing the electorate at the polls next autumn.

With the Senate voting for the Bill 68 to 6, however, an overriding of the veto seems at least possible although it is believed that a certain proportion of the votes will change over in such contingency.

After a three-hour caucus to-day, 154 Republican members of the House of Representatives pledged themselves to support President Hoover's anticipated veto of the Veterans' Bill, on the understanding that a substitute Pension Bill will be passed before adjournment.

President Supported by House of Representatives.

Washington, June 26.—President Hoover to-day vetoed the Veterans' Bill, as had been anticipated as a result of his declarations that it would saddle the country with an undeserved tax burden.

In announcing his veto, the President said that if the bill were to become law it would result in an increase in taxes rather than the decrease which had been anticipated.

It was understood that Mr. Hoover had privately intimated that he would be willing to sign a substitute measure. Such a bill may be brought forward.

Shortly after the President had vetoed the bill, the House of Representatives sustained the veto.

TAMPERING WITH TRAM CONTROLS.

APPRENTICE CHARGED IN SHANGHAI.

TREE KNOCKED DOWN.

An 18-year old apprentice was charged before Judge Shen in the Shanghai Special District Court last week with interfering with the control of a railless tramcar and causing such damage as was likely to injure the public.

Court Insp. Hall said that, accused was travelling on railless car 331 which was going along Ward Road. When near Chemulpo Road, the trolley came off the wire and the conductor alighted to adjust it. This took some time and the motorman got down to assist him. When they got the trolley back again, they discovered the car was moving. Accused had gone on to the driving platform and started the car. Some damage was done to the car and to a tree.

Mr. H. M. Muir, claims superintendent of the Tramway Co., corroborated this statement. Had someone not meddled with the controls, it would have been impossible for the tram to have started, he said. Accused was the only passenger in the first class compartment and he was found on the driving platform when the car stopped. The front part of the car had been damaged, and it could not now be run. Repairs would cost \$30.

The motorman mentioned that he saw accused put his foot on the lever which started the car, and C.P.S. 915 said that he saw a tree knocked down and the front part of the tramcar damaged.

"Became Frightened."

Accused deposed that he was the only passenger in the car. When the car stopped, he was sitting down, and, when it started again and knocked down the tree, he became frightened and tried to get off. He denied tampering with the controls.

Court Insp. Hall asked the Court to take a serious view of the matter. People must be taught not to tamper with the controls of such vehicles as these; there might have been a very serious accident had there been any other traffic on the road at the time. It would have been impossible for the car to have started if accused had not tampered with the controls and accused was the only one on the car at the time. A sentence of two months was imposed and accused gave notice of appeal.

MYSTERIOUS MURDER ON TATSUTA MARU.

CHIEF STEWARD KILLED.

Yokohama, June 27.—The mysterious murder of the chief steward of the N.Y.K. m. y. Tatsuta Maru occurred at midnight on Thursday, on board the vessel, when she was nearing Yokohama.

It is suspected that the murderer is a slowaway, not yet identified, who sprang overboard. He is believed to have made good his escape.

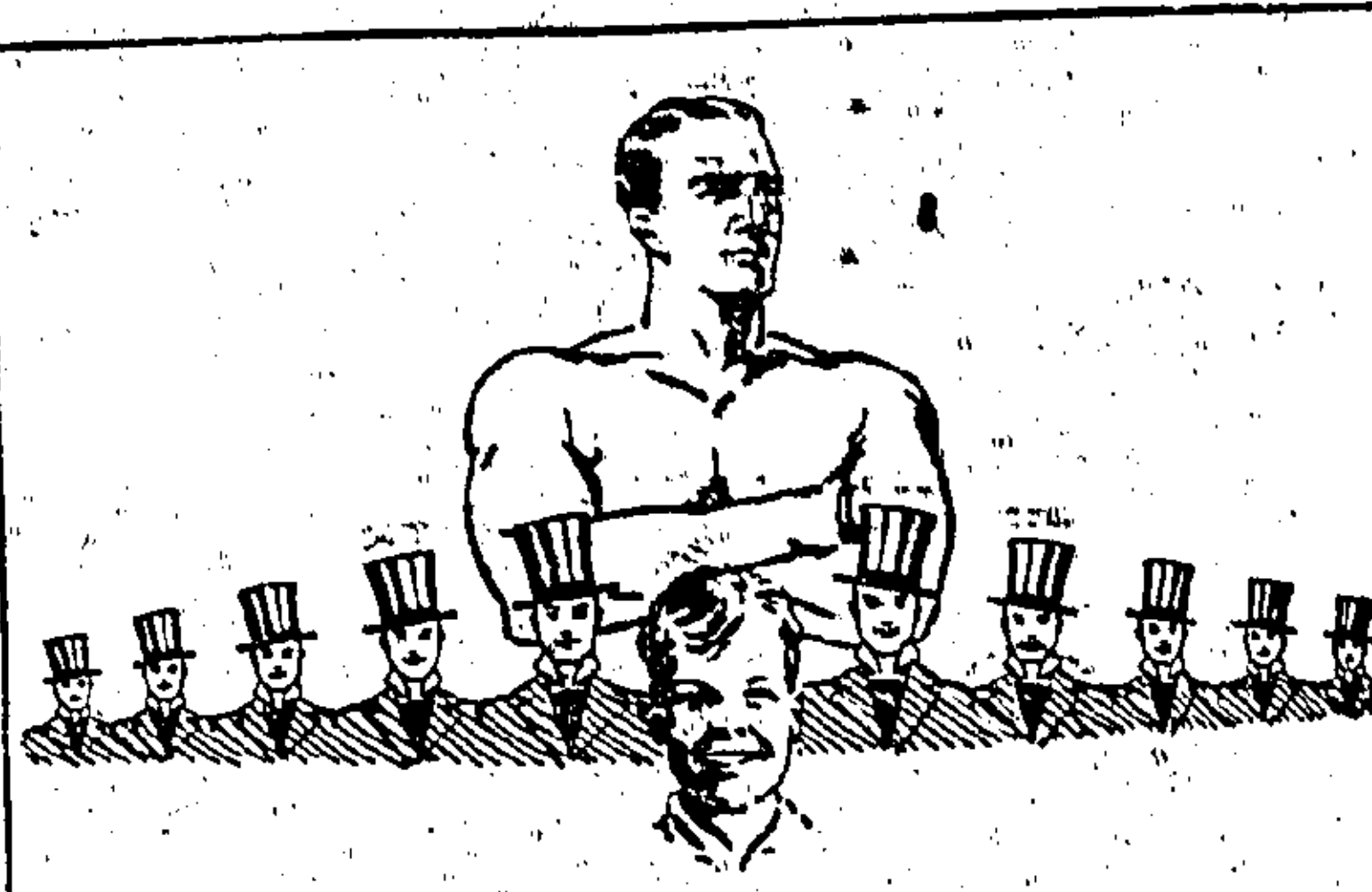
One of the crew was lost, having been swept away by a wave when a lifeboat which was lowered for the purpose of chasing the suspected murderer capsized owing to extreme confusion which followed the escape of the murderer.

NOVEL BALLOON ASCENT PLANNED.

OBSERVATIONS 45,000 FT UP.

Augsburg, June 26.—Preparations are just now being completed for an attempt, financed by the Brussels University, to send a captive balloon up to an altitude of 45,000 ft.

Instead of the usual car, the balloon will be equipped with a closed aluminium globe wherein the Belgian Professor Pickard, and his assistants will make the ascent and which, in addition to an oxygen apparatus, contains a multitude of instruments to register atmospheric phenomena at a height where the air is extremely thin.



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CANTON STREET
BANDITS.AUDACIOUS ATTACK ON
POLICE OFFICER.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

CANTON, July 2.
An ugly scene occurred on Tai Pei Tai Street, in the northern part of Canton, last night shortly after dusk when two bandits set upon a police officer on his beat and robbed him of his rifle and ammunition.

The officer was entirely unaware of any sinister motive of the bandits, who came up to him asking for direction to the North Gate. He directed them, but he had not finished his sentence when one of the bandits drew a revolver and pointed it at him, demanding that he throw up his hands at once. The officer had no choice but to comply, and the other bandit relieved him of his gun and cartridges. The bandits then fled in the direction of the Hill of the Goddess of Mercy, firing a shot into the air to show the officer that they meant business.

The street was crowded with people who witnessed the outrage and were dumbfounded at the audacity of the outlaws. When the bandits had gone some distance, the officer gave chase, blowing his whistle as he went. This alarm attracted the attention of another officer nearby, who, after learning what had occurred, joined in the chase. This officer pulled out his automatic and tried to open fire on the fleeing bandits, but somehow his automatic failed to work, although the trigger clicked several times. Meanwhile, the bandits fired two shots at him, but without effect.

The matter was reported to the Police Station, which at once rushed a group of special patrolmen to the scene. Meanwhile, all traces of the bandits were lost. The neighbourhood and hills behind the city were combed. After an hour or so the officers spotted the bandits with their flashlights. The bandits at once fired a volley of rifle shots into the direction of the flashlights. There appeared to be a whole gang of them. The police returned, the fire, and a brisk fight ensued which lasted several hours. The bandits finally made good their escape under cover of darkness. Neither side suffered any casualty.

In view of this incident the police in Canton have been instructed to allow no persons to approach them too close when asking questions.

CORRESPONDENCE.

BROKERS' CHARGES.

[TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

SIR,—We take this opportunity to thank "Investor" for his interest in our affairs, and wish to inform him that our "1/2 of 1 per cent." brokerage scale is an initial attempt on our part to serve the public, and his further suggestions will be given serious consideration by our Committee.—Yours, etc.

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Hong Kong, July 2.

A CHINESE CONSUL'S
NATIONALITY.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, June 28.—Officials of the Bureau of Immigration who have investigated the case of Chang Yan Chan, the Chinese Consul at Los Angeles, announced to-day that he was born in Hawaii and is thus an American citizen.

The Bureau accordingly authorized his admission to the territorial United States.

BANK CLOSES ITS
DOORS.

A TEMPORARY SUSPENSION

Early yesterday morning a large crowd gathered outside the Industrial & Commercial Bank, Queen's Road, and on investigation our representative found that the "attraction" was in the form of a notice posted outside the Bank's door to the effect that business was temporarily suspended until further notice.

Finding that admission could not be gained by the front door, the Daily Press representative tried the back entrance, but this was also locked. However, upon knocking, he was given admittance. He found the inside of the bank deserted except for an official, a couple of boys and a watchman.

In a conversation with the official, who was rather reluctant to make any statement, our representative was told that the bank was closed for a couple of days "to straighten out some business—to check the half-yearly accounts."

Asked whether they had been very much affected by the drop in the exchange, the official replied that "every one was affected," the only difference being that some suffered heavier losses than others.

"RUN" ON CANTON
BRANCH.

(Wah Tsai Yat Pao.)

CANTON, July 2.

There was a "run" on the Canton branch of the Industrial & Commercial Bank this morning, and in the afternoon the bank suspended business.

A number of police were dispatched by the Bureau of Public Safety to maintain order.

The General Chamber of Commerce has decided to dispatch men to take over the control of the bank.

CHEAPER THAN TRAVEL-
LING BY BUS.

YOUTH PREFERS CYCLING.

When charged before Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with riding a bicycle without a light, a Chinese explained that it was cheaper to hire a bicycle to travel to Kowloon City than to travel by bus. He pleaded guilty to the charge of riding without a light.

Question by the Magistrate as to whether he was on an errand or just on a "joy-ride," the cyclist replied that he was riding to Kowloon City to redeem certain articles which he had previously pawned.

His Worship asked why he had not taken a bus to his destination.

Defendant: The prices have gone up now.

His Worship: Do you mean to say it is cheaper to go by a bicycle than by a bus?

Defendant: For the two trips (to Kowloon City and back) in a bus it would cost 20 cents but I only pay 10 cents for a bicycle.

His Worship: He (defendant) evidently plans things very carefully.

The cyclist having spent one night in Police cells, his Worship discharged him with a caution.

WOMAN KILLED IN
PENANG.EUROPEAN ACQUITTED OF
RASH DRIVING CHARGE.

The charge of rash and negligent driving thereby causing the death of a Malay woman brought against Allister Stewart Ramsay of Paterson, Simons, was withdrawn in the Penang police court, last week.

Ramsay was discharged, the discharge amounting to an acquittal. Ramsay, however, pleaded guilty to having no rear number plate and was fined \$4.

At the inquest on the woman the jury brought in a verdict of accidental death with no blame attaching to any one.

TUNG WAH HOSPITAL

GOVERNOR'S VISIT
YESTERDAY.

In continuance of his plan for getting first-hand knowledge of local conditions and activities, H.E. the Governor yesterday visited the Tung Wah Hospital. Sir William Peel was conducted through the institution by the Resident Medical Officer, and was greatly interested in the work of the various departments visited. The Tung Wah Hospital is one of the largest institutions of its kind in the Colony, and his Excellency appeared to be most favourably impressed by what he saw of the extent and variety of its work.

Before leaving the hospital, Sir William Peel gave a brief address to the directors and principal members of the staff, to which a suitable reply was given. The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kesteven interpreted his Excellency's remarks and the Chinese reply thereto.

HAWKER TRIPS UP
CONSTABLE.FINED FOR RESISTING
ARREST.

Leung Yau was yesterday before Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy on charges of hawking without a licence and assaulting P. C. Drewery, in the execution of his duty.

Defendant admitted the first charge, but submitted that he did not assault the police officer.

P. C. Drewery told his Worship that while he was on duty at 5.30 in Prince Edward Road on Saturday, he approached the defendant, who was hawking some wares, and asked for his licence. The defendant having no licence, the police officer promptly placed him under arrest.

The defendant offered some resistance, and finally managed to wriggle out of his jacket and ran away. The police officer gave chase, and just as he was within reach of the hawker, the latter purposely stretched out one leg and tripped him. The constable stumbled but regained his balance, and eventually caught his man again in Lai-chikok Road.

The constable further stated that he had had his uniform damaged and that he also received a cut on the hand.

The defendant, however, explained that the constable fell accidentally and denied having tripped him.

His Worship: You had no right to wriggle away from him. The constable had every right to arrest you. It was in the execution of his duty.

Defendant: I wanted to run away.

His Worship: Well, it is going to cost you something. Convicted and fined \$4 or seven days' gaol on the first charge. On the second charge, fined \$25 or three weeks' gaol, the sentences to run consecutively.

ONE WAY TO END A FIGHT.

CHINESE WOMAN FEIGNS
DEATH.

In consequence of a report received that a murder had occurred in Mosque Street, which is only a few minutes' walk from Central Police Station, officers of the Criminal Investigation Department immediately left for that locality. On their arrival, however, they were told that the person declared as dead had come back to life.

The facts as told to the Police were that two women were engaged in a quarrel, which subsequently developed into a fight. Apparently receiving more than she could take, one of the women struck upon an idea. She threw herself on the ground and moved not an inch. To her adversary and to the excited audience, she was to all appearance lifeless. Frightened that she had struck a fatal blow, the adversary made a hurried escape.

In the meantime, a Sikh constable had arrived on the scene, being attracted by the blowing of police whistles. Approaching the body, the constable also had the notion that the woman was dead. The woman, however, spoiled everything by getting up and walking away as soon as her assailant disappeared out of sight.

SMOKE NUISANCE.

TWO COXSAINS
CHARGED.

SUMMONSES DISMISSED.

When the summonses taken out against the coxswains of two Yau-mati ferry-launches came before the Marine Magistrate for hearing yesterday, they were dismissed, as the Hon. Comdr. G. F. Hole, R.N., held that there was not enough evidence on which to convict. The charges were that the defendants did unlawfully allow smoke in such quantity as to be a nuisance to be emitted from the funnels of their respective launches at the Mongkok Ferry Wharf, Hong Kong, on June 25.

The defendants were represented by Mr. F. H. Loseby, and both entered pleas of "Not Guilty."

Addressing the Magistrate, Mr. Loseby said that as both cases were the same, he thought it would be more convenient and much time would be saved if they took them together. If one of the defendants were found guilty, continued Mr. Loseby, he would then plead guilty for the other as well. There being no objections, this procedure was adopted.

The Officer's Story.

In the witness-box, Sergt. Riddell, who prosecuted, said that he was on duty on No. 7 Police launch shortly after noon on June 25. He was proceeding from west to east, and when off the Yuet On Wharf, he saw the steam launch Man Sang alongside the Mongkok Ferry Wharf, giving out a dense cloud of smoke from her funnel. The vessel then backed out of the wharf, still discharging black smoke. He then directed his own launch to go alongside the Man Sang when he pointed out to the coxswain that he was creating a nuisance by allowing so much smoke to be emitted from his vessel.

In answer to the Magistrate, witness said that there was a strong N.E. wind blowing at the time, and the wind carried the smoke from the Man Sang right across the bows of the river steamer Kwong Tung, which was alongside the Yuet On Wharf. Witness said that he thought he should add that, although the smoke was very thick at the start, it abated when he got alongside the ferry boat.

How Was the Wind Blowing?

Mr. Loseby: You say that the smoke was blown across the bows of the Kwong Tung?—Yes, it was blown across the bows of the ship on to the Praya.

I put it to you that the wind was S.E. and not N.E. as you say?—It was N.E.

I also put it to you that the smoke would have been taken away from the Praya instead of towards it?—It was blowing towards it.

I also put it to you that the Man Sang did not start smoking until after she left the pier?—She was alongside the pier and she was smoking at the time.

I put it to you that she left the pier astern and then swung round. She did not smoke until she swung?—No, she was smoking all the time.

The Second Case.

The launch concerned in the second case was the Man Leung, and Sergt. Riddell said that at about 12.10 p.m. on the same day, after the Man Sang had left her wharf, he was along the Mongkok Ferry Wharf when he noticed the Man Leung giving out a quantity of smoke. He drew the coxswain's attention to it, but as the Man Leung was backing out of her wharf, it was not until she had gone some 200 yards that he got up alongside of her. In reply to a question by Mr. Loseby, witness said that the times on the summonses were according to the clock on his launch which he found since was a little out. He could not give the exact time, witness went on, but he estimated that one of the boats left ten minutes after the other.

Mr. Loseby then remarked that a launch left every five minutes, and that the reason why he went into the time was that he wanted to show that the launches were not smoking whilst alongside the pier, but after they were a little under way.

Mr. Loseby: I put it to you again that she was not smoking at the wharf?—She was smoking.

(Continued on next column.)

OLD WOMAN CAUGHT
IN DEBRIS.CORONER'S INQUIRY INTO
RECENT ROOF COLLAPSE.

"NO ONE TO BLAME."

A verdict of "Accidental Death" was returned by the jury at an inquiry conducted by Mr. A. W. G. H. Grantham yesterday in regard to the death of a Chinese woman, who lost her life following the collapse of the roof of a market.

Addressing the jury at the commencement of the case, the Coroner said:—"The inquiry this afternoon concerns the death of an unknown female, aged about 55. On June 12 last, part of the roof of the Sai-yungpun market collapsed. The police, under Sergeant Clarke, who were the first responsible people to arrive at the scene of the accident, made inquiries from bystanders, and learned that no one was inside the building, and therefore at the time no search was made."

"The next day when the P.W.D. and the Sanitary Department were at work on the debris, they came upon the body of a woman, and it is from that discovery that the inquiry is held this afternoon."

Evidence was given by the stall holders in the market, who said that they rushed out from the building on hearing a warning cry from someone else in the building. One of the witnesses stated that he noticed sand falling from the roof just prior to the collapse.

A Pathetic Touch.

An interesting and somewhat pathetic touch was added by the story of one of the witnesses, who stated that the woman's presence in the market was unknown to anyone; she had probably stolen her way into the premises in order to pick up decayed vegetables discarded by stallholders.

Dr. A. Grieve, who performed the post-mortem on the woman, stated that in his opinion death might not have been instantaneous. However, from the nature of her injuries, the doctor was of the opinion that even if she had been promptly extricated she would not have lived.

Mr. T. V. Harmon, of the Public Works Department, stated that on March 14 he inspected the market, when he found some of the timbers unsafe through decay. He discussed the matter with Mr. Nash, and it was decided that all that was necessary was the shoring up of certain parts of the building. Mr. Harmon explained that he examined the building after the collapse and none of the points which had been reported unsafe had "given."

Caused By Wet Rot.

Mr. F. E. Nash said that the cause of the collapse was wet rot which had eaten its way into one of the beams. The rot took place at a point in the beam which was imbedded in the wall. Where it was visible the beam was quite sound.

Answering the Coroner, Mr. Nash stated that there would have been no means of discovering the defect except by pulling down the roof. The building was to be pulled down when a new market, now in the course of erection, was ready.

The jury, comprising Messrs. H. Randall, Tse Tsan Tai, and J. D. Chin, returned a verdict of "accidental death." They also added that no blame whatever was to be attached to anyone.

Witness Who Wam't Sure.

Tsang Sang, coxswain of the police launch, who was on duty with Sergt. Riddell, was the next witness called. He corroborated the Sergeant's evidence regarding the excessive smoking, but he was rather doubtful about the direction of the wind. He started off with saying that the smoking was being carried in a westerly direction by the wind but when asked what direction the wind was blowing, he said it came from the S.W. A few more questions put to the witness brought no very enlightening replies, after which the Magistrate stated that he thought witness did not know what he was talking about; he had not or did not seem to have any idea as regards the direction the wind was blowing.

The Magistrate then said that according to the Ordinance, it was laid down that "smoke in such a quantity as to be a nuisance shall not be sent forth or emitted from the funnel of any steamship in any part of the Colony," but he remarked that no evidence had been produced to prove that the defendants were causing a nuisance. He therefore would dismiss the summonses as there was not sufficient evidence on which to convict.

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Shanghai, 26th June, 1930. [9609]

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 7th DAY of JULY, 1930, at 3 P.M., at the Office of the Public Works Department, of One Lot of CROWN LAND near Prince Edward Road, Kowloon Tong, the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Square Feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
1	Kowloon Lot No. 2318.	Inland Lot No. 2318, Kowloon Tong.	As per sale plan.	About 15,400.	138	91.0

G. R.
PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on MONDAY, the 7th DAY of JULY, 1930, at 3 P.M., at the Office of the Public Works Department, of One Lot of CROWN LAND at North Point, Shaukeiwan Road, in the Colony of Hong Kong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT.

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements.	Contents in Square Feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
2	Inland Lot No. 2319.	East of Inland Lot No. 431, North Point.	As per sale plan.	About 12,700.	1,060	63.250
3	Inland Lot No. 2319.	East of Inland Lot No. 431, North Point.	do.	About 24,000.	218	91

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NOTICE.

THE AMERICAN COMMUNITY of HONG KONG will be at HOME to their Friends on the 4th JULY, 1930, 11.30 A.M. to 1 P.M., at the AMERICAN CLUB, DUNDAS STREET. [9597]

NOTICE.

I have Admitted my Son, Mr. NOEL RONALD RAMSEY, as Partner in my Firm, which will be carried on as From THIS DATE under the Name and Style of CARR RAMSEY & SON.
T. CARR RAMSEY.
Swatow, July 1st, 1930. [9584]

HONG KONG SAVINGS BANK.

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For THE HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORP.
V. M. GRAYBURN,
Acting Chief Manager.
Hong Kong, 30th June, 1930. [9596]

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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 5.45 p.m., stated:—
An anticyclone is central to the south of Tokyo. Depressions cover S.E. and S.W. China.
Local Forecast:—Variable winds; light to moderate; fair; some local thunder showers.

MARRIAGE.

BROSTED-SHEEL.—On June 30, by Mr. SYDNEY ASHLEY, O.B.E., Superintendent Registrar of the District of St. Giles, London, AUGUSTUS BROSTED, Asiatic Traffic Manager, Canadian National Railways, Hong Kong, to JESSIE MORIS SHEEL, of Sunderland, England, and Hong Kong. (By cable). [9608]

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THE U.S.A. ON THE U.S.E.

Now that fourteen delegates from different European countries have gathered in Paris to discuss without prejudice—the possibility of organising an economic United States of Europe, it is an appropriate moment to review American opinion on the subject. The BRIAND plan for a United States of Europe has eclipsed the League of Nations in popular interest and fired the imagination of Americans with visions of a New World era. There is little hostility to the plan, and not much enthusiasm, but there is widespread curiosity in the idea and in the name. The "League of Nations" became a repugnant phrase to many Americans because they thought it meant a super-state. Everyone is familiar with what "united states" means. To the American it connotes co-operation, with states' rights, vigour, prosperity and aggressiveness. Mr. BRIAND's idea has the ring of freshness, promise, and tremendous possibilities which most Americans see in the name of their own country.

"Business-men foresee in the plan a new scheme of tariffs, cartels, and gigantic competition. Politicians predict conflicts between continents instead of nations, and the ordinary man begins to imagine a world of massed peoples, such as Russia, China, India and South America, instead of a world subdivided into 55 nations. The U.S. Government is aloof. Officials admit only a "benevolent interest" in the plan. The Press is sceptical and calls it "millennial." But it is more talked about than anything which has happened in Europe since the League was founded and more discussed now than the League. In private conversations, officials express all varieties of opinion from alarm to ridicule, and the newspapers give many columns to comment from all quarters of the world.

The plan is considered by some as a menace to the League of Nations, and the inauguration of an era of world continental conflicts. A representative of this group, Senator SWANSON, ranking Democratic member of the Foreign Relations Committee, is of opinion that the movement for a federation of the European Powers is ill-advised. A great menace to the league will be developed with the creation of such factions within the League. "If the European Powers found an organization, the Asiatic Powers will organize, the African Powers will organize, the Southern American and the North American Powers will organize. Instead of national differences and conflicts there will be differences between great spheres of territory and of population. It would be difficult to limit such organization to economic matters, and it would ultimately drift into political matters with unforeseen culminations."

Another Senator and an Assistant Secretary of a Government Department declared the plan is nothing more than a master-minded scheme to perpetuate the military dominance of France in Europe. "It is a political project to help the present Government in Paris and to keep France dominant in Europe," one of them said. "It is a super-alliance," the Senator, who is known in every country, said, "which France is trying to impose on the rest of Europe with the help of her allies, Poland, and the Little Entente." Senator BRADY K. WHEELER, a leader of the Progressives, said he saw an alliance in it also, but declared this did not matter, as the plan generally was good for Europe. "I think it is a great thing for Europe," he told the United Press. "When I was in Europe in 1923, I told them they needed such a plan. It does not matter that it may be in the nature of an alliance created by France. As long as it binds them together and reduces the selfishness and bitterness of border troubles, it is a good thing."

The U.S. Department of Commerce has made it plain on several occasions that it views the plan "with benevolent interest," and considers that anything which will build up the economic prosperity of Europe will benefit American trade. Business-men, however, see expansion of the cartel system, a combination against American products, and a tariff wall behind which Europe can work even more advantageously than at present. It is pointed out that if the European countries end their most-favoured-nation treaties with the United States, as Germany plans to do, they can then agree to impose a finite discrimination against the United States, and so eliminate American goods from Europe. The Press foresees these possibilities, but thinks they are only academic. The plan is only a "dream," the *Washington Star* says. "It is destined to be iridescent and probably doomed to become evanescent. Should so millennial a result some day ensue, the effect on the United States could be nothing but beneficial for the purpose of a European Customs estate would be to improve the economic status of each participating country. It would bring a Europe in whose markets our trade opportunities would be automatically wider, not shrunken."

HENLEY WEEK.

This is the time of year when the glory of the Thames river-side is seen at its best—weather permitting. The Phyllis-Court Club, with its flower-decked verandah close to the river, the marquees belonging to the various Rowing Clubs, on each bank—the gaily cushioned and electric launches, all make up a scene of ever-changing brightness during Henley Week. In the lovely surroundings of Henley there is much to enthral the boating and river enthusiast. This historic event reaches its true significance when graced by the presence of Royalty, as it probably will be again this year. Many representatives of various nations will be present to compete for the trophic laurels of Henley. Canada is likely to be represented in the great struggle for the Diamond Sculls by Joe WATSON, of Argonaut Club, Toronto, and JACK GUZZ, of the Don Club and the Argonaut Club. The famous German "Eight," of Mannheim, the Argentine Eight, and the American Schoolboy Eight, of Kent College, Connecticut, will be present to contest one or other of the much coveted trophies.

Although Henley Regatta occupies the most important part in English summer activities on the Thames, it must not be considered the only outstanding event of the river, for preceding it are three notable regattas, the Reading, Marlow and Shepperton, events which always attract large crowds of spectators. On the River Thames this season there will not only be a round of gaiety, but some keen struggles to retain for Britain many historic trophies of the rowing world.

★ News and Views ★

Mr. Justice McCardie, in the King's Bench Division made some caustic remarks concerning some of the "authorities" cited in legal arguments. "My own view," he said, "is that this slavery of case-law which exists to-day is doing infinite hurt to English law. To my mind, principles and decisions should change with the times. I am more and more convinced of that as I look at the appalling chaos of case-law by which judges are governed by decisions given in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. I have been looking at some of the decisions of that period which are said to govern me. All I can say is that they were given at a time when superstition was so prevalent and foolish notions so dominant that one would reject these decisions as being vanities but for this doctrine of precedent."

Davis set up a record in the professional snooker championship at Thurston's Hall, London, recently, when in the fourth game he made a break of 79, against T. Dennis (Nottingham). Davis won all four games, and increased his lead to ten games to two. The scores were 79-26, 68-37, 56-48, and 101-19. Each won two games in the evening, Davis the second and third at 83-29 and 81-36, Dennis the first and last at 75-58 and 73-32.

Because a magistrate retired on a pension some months ago, nearly 200 men are still kept in the Remand Gaol at Buenos Aires until the authorities appoint a new magistrate. The Socialist Senator, Senor Mario Bravo, alleges that these men are being illegally detained, and that many have served terms far in excess of the punishment which could be meted out to them for the offences with which they are charged. The prison governor says that the prisoners cannot be tried until a new magistrate is appointed.

A professional gambler, R. H. White, who had murdered a fellow gambler, was executed in Dawson City, Nevada, recently by asphyxiation. He was taken to a special lethal chamber, bound in a chair, and guards kept watch through a window while a cord was pulled, releasing sufficient poison gas to cause almost instant death. Before going into the death chamber he was asked, "Is there anything you want before you die?" "Give me a gas mask," he replied.

Fighting marked the final of the Spanish Football Association competition in Barcelona last month, attended by about 70,000 people. Bilbao Athletic beat the Royal Madrid Club by three goals to two, and when the winning goal was scored, the teams came to blows and spectators jumped over the fence to join the fight. The game was held up for half-an-hour while the Civil Guard battled to restore order on the playing field. At the end of the match, however, there was a touching reconciliation between the captains of both teams, who embraced in the middle of the field. King Alfonso then presented the cup to the winners.

A seam of coal from 3ft. to 4ft. thick has been struck in No. 3 shaft of the Tilmastone Colliery, Kent, where sinking operations have been in progress for the past 12 months. The coal was found at a depth of 3,035ft., and the shaft, which is approximately 3,040ft. down, is the deepest in the country, though in South Lancashire there are coal workings at even greater depth, and in the same district there are shafts varying from 2,700ft. to 3,000ft. in depth. Hitherto the deepest shaft in Kent has been at Snowdown Colliery, where coal is wound from the 3,010ft. level. At present the Tilmastone Colliery is winding coal from the No. 1 shaft, where the Beresford seam is being worked at a depth of 1,828ft.

Mrs. Mary Fry Heckscher, a London woman, who married Mr. James Heckscher, vice-president of the Irving Trust Company, in 1903, has brought a suit for £30,000 damages for "alienation of affections" against Mrs. Lillian Jane Atwater Heckscher, his second wife and former secretary. Mr. Heckscher and his first wife have two children, a son who is now in Europe studying banking, and a daughter, who was recently married.

Mr. Bennett Scott, the song composer, whose wartime song "Take Me Back to Dear Old Blighty" was sung by soldiers all over the world, died at his home in London last month. He joined British Filmcraft as composer and musical adviser last year. Mr. Bennett Scott was the composer of more than 2,000 popular songs. They included "Fall In and Follow Me," "Darling Mabel," "It's a Different Girl Again" and "All the Nice Girls Love a Sailor."

Probably the largest estate ever left in Great Britain, that of the late Lord Ashton, "The Linoleum King," is estimated to amount to about £30,000,000. Of this huge total, £15,000,000 may accrue to the National Exchequer, for under Mr. Snowden's Budget this year the death duties on estates of over £2,000,000 were increased from 40 to 50 per cent.

Mr. W. H. Heath, of Westleigh Avenue, Putney, S.W., and his daughter Nancy have won the world's amateur dancing championship in Paris. The professional dancing championship went by the narrowest of margins to Maxwell Stewart and Pat Sykes. The heats were very keenly contested before a large and cosmopolitan crowd. This is the fourth occasion on which Mr. Heath has won the amateur world's championship, and is his twentieth championship. A builder by profession, Mr. W. H. Heath, who is 51 years of age, danced for the first time in his life seven years ago, and within two years he was winning championships.

★ Local Notes and Events ★

The Medical Officer of Health reports that during the week ending June 28 there were eight cases of typhoid (one non-Chinese) resulting in two deaths—both Chinese.

A Chinese coolie, who was cautioned on Friday last by Mr. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy for using abusive language to a bath-house attendant, appeared again yesterday on a charge of the theft of a cotton jacket from a dwelling house in Hunghom. He pleaded guilty, and the Magistrate sentenced him to six weeks' hard labour.

Following a fight at the entrance of the Royal Naval Yard, a Chinese was charged with assault before Mr. R. E. Lindsell yesterday. The defendant, it was stated, on learning that he had been reported for neglecting his work by the complainant, struck the latter with a foot-rule. The Magistrate fined the defendant \$2, and ordered both men to sign a personal bond of \$50 to be of good behaviour for six months.

A daring armed robbery was perpetrated by a number of men early yesterday morning at the Shamshui-poo district. The robbers forced an entry into a matched with hammers and iron bars, and after ransacking the place, took away money, jewellery and other valuables to the value of \$70. Chung King and Poon Pow, two of the inmates, were assaulted by the robbers, and received such injuries that they had to be detained in hospital for treatment.

From Messrs. Dodwell & Co., Ltd., the local representatives, we have received the 84th annual report of the Liverpool, London, and Globe Insurance Co., Ltd. A dividend of 26s. per share has been paid for 1929, as compared with 25s. the previous year, and £895,000 carried to next year's account. The Company's total funds now exceed 22 millions sterling.

When brought before Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on a charge of stealing a launch's funnel from the Diamond Manufacturing Co., a Chinese stated that he had four coolies to assist him to remove the funnel. Inspector Marks intimated that the accused was arrested whilst attempting to sell the funnel to a marine store dealer in Pitt Street. The Magistrate sentenced the accused to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour.

Nicola, who opens at the Star Theatre next week, will present what is said to be one of the most stupendous as well as the most remarkable entertainments ever seen in this city. He has just completed his fifth tour of the world, and everywhere has been acclaimed the supreme Master of Magic. Over 50 tons of gorgeous paraphernalia, scenery, and effects are used in this entertainment, and the attractions presented are wonderfully diversified and well calculated to suit the tastes of all theatre-goers. Booking arrangements are now ready, and plans may be seen at Moutrie's and the Star Theatre, Kowloon.

A Chinese residing at Lamont's Lane was fined \$1,800 or six months' hard labour for having in his possession 15 taels of illicit opium. Revenue Officer Grimmit, who raided the premises, stated that the house in question appeared to be used as an opium den. On looking up defendant's record, it was found that he had three previous convictions.

Looking Back 25 Years.

"Have you ever read David Copperfield?" said a friend, as we were walking along one of the higher level roads last week. "Yes, why do you ask?" "Well, doesn't that remind you of Mr. Dick, the author of 'King Charles Memorial,'" said he, pointing to a chimney-top. I saw a middle-aged European on the top of a chimney flying a kite, and exerting himself so much that he appeared to be in imminent risk of falling from his perch. Little David considered it very amusing that a man should put in his hours of recreation at kite-flying, but how much more delighted would he have been had he seen Mr. Dick silhouetted against the sky on a chimney-top!—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 3, 1905.

Looking Back 50 Years.

Our Singapore contemporary, animated clearly by a jealous feeling of this Colony, writes:—One of the "magnificent" steam-launches built in Hong Kong for Singapore, the rage for which is now spreading so rapidly, sank on her way from China, while in tow of the extra P. and O. vessel which arrived here this afternoon.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, July 3, 1880.

"ALL SQUARE."**A "TEST" OF RECORDS.****CHAPMAN'S BRILLIANT CENTURY.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 2. Australia has won the second Test by a margin of seven wickets, and at the moment, matters are "all-square" between the two leading cricketing countries, England having won the first match.

Referring to the last day's play in the match just concluded, there was no interval for tea when it was seen that the game might be brought to a definite conclusion.

When play was stopped for the luncheon interval, Chapman was 52 not out, whilst his partner, G. O. B. Allen, was two runs ahead of him, also undefeated. However, the latter got his foot in front of a straight "un" from the Australian slow bowler after he had added but three runs to his total, and was sent marching back to the pavilion with 57 runs to his credit. The half-century was the result of a very good innings, and although the Middlesex man failed in bowling, he justified his inclusion by a very good knock.

Typical Captain's Innings.

Chapman was not worried by this state of affairs, and went along merrily to play a typical captain's innings and incidentally scored his first Test century. The rest of the side did not give him a lot of support, but still England did well to avert an innings defeat.

Set to get 72 runs for a win, Australia knocked up the required total for the loss of two wickets—Ponsford being out when the total stood at 16, and Bradman only one run later.

When McCabe joined his captain, the batsmen began to hit out, and the newcomer leg-glanced Hammond for the winning hit.

Carried to the Pavilion.

Immediately after this, Woodfull made a bee-line for the pavilion, but he was caught when he had still half the distance to do, and the crowd carried him for the rest of the way.

In front of the pavilion a crowd gathered and were cheering wildly, Woodfull and Bradman appearing in the dressing-room balcony, wearing smiles on their sun-tanned faces—smiles of a great win this time.

The third Test is scheduled to take place on July 11-15 at Leeds, and while it is doubtful whether there will be any changes in the Australian XI, it will be interesting to watch what alterations there will be in the English team.

Record Breaking Test.

The second Test may well be remembered as the "Record Breaking Test." First of all, "Dulcep" made 173 runs in the first innings for a new individual record for Anglo-Australian Test records at Lord's. Then Bradman broke Murdoch's record (set up in 1924) for the highest individual score in Test matches played in England.

More was to follow, for the visitors went on to make 729 runs for the loss of six wickets to break England's record (of 636 runs in Sydney, 1929) for the highest aggregate in all Test matches, but perhaps many people feel a trifle sad at the thought of the last record broken, which is Chapman's record as an unbeaten Test captain.

BOLIVIA'S NEW GOVERNMENT.**PROVISIONAL MILITARY CONSTITUTION.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 1. The Bolivian Legation here has received a cable from the Government announcing the formation of a military provisional Government.

"CABLES AND WIRELESS" SHARES.**FALL IN VALUES CONTINUE.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 2.

The recent pronounced fall in "Cables and Wireless," the great holding concern of cable and wireless shares, received a fresh impetus on the Stock Exchange today when it was learned that no dividend was to be paid on the £29,000,000 ordinary capital.

The "A" shares (seven and a half per cent. non-cumulative) which were 90 last year, slumped to 30. The "B" shares (which rank after), which were 104 last year, are quoted at 11 only.

The five and a half per cent. cumulative preference shares, upon which a dividend has been paid, nevertheless weakened.

The factors which have adversely affected the Company have been the Wall Street collapse last October, and the British Government's decision to conduct the overseas wireless telephony through the Post Office instead of the Imperial Communications, Ltd., beam stations.

The Imperial Communications, Limited, anticipate a sharp contraction in their profits for the current year. The net figure is not expected to exceed £200,000, or less than half the 1928-9 rate.

Reorganisation, accompanied by substantial working economies, are proceeding.

The Marconi Company accounts, which have also been issued, show that the shareholders in the Company who refused to exchange their holdings for Cable and Wireless shares benefit considerably in dividends.

IMPERIAL COMMUNICATIONS, LTD.**SINGAPORE-HONG KONG WIRELESS.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 1.

The report and accounts of Imperial Communications, Ltd., were adopted at the first general meeting of the Company.

A profit of £2,023,000 is shown for the past 21 months and the dividend of 5s is equivalent to 6s. 8d. per annum.

The report deals with the maintenance of certain non-commercial cable circuits, to which it hopes the Imperial Government will make a financial contribution, and says that the Company is considering the advisability of erecting a wireless station at Singapore for communication with Hong Kong, Bangkok and Rangoon.

The Company expressed its willingness to take over entirely the Government wireless services there.

GOVERNMENT OF EGYPT.**NAHAS PASHA'S CAMPAIGN.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CAIRO, July 1.

Fifteen thousand people attended the first meeting in the Province of Nahas Pasha's campaign against the Government.

Unruly supporters attempted to rush the platform at Bilbeis Station, contrary to police orders, and seriously injured two officers and two soldiers.

The police shot dead two of the aggressors.

ZAMBESI BRIDGE.**SCHEME TO COST THREE MILLION STERLING.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 1.

Replying to questions in the House of Commons, Mr. Philip Snowden, Chancellor of the Exchequer, said the total estimated cost of the Zambesi Bridge scheme, including railway extensions, was a little over £3,000,000.

The British Exchequer was responsible for £2,500,000.

FENG YU HSIANG COUNTERATTACKS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEKING, July 2.

Independent reports indicate that Feng Yu Hsiang is counter-attacking.

The Northern armies' line at present is believed to run from some miles eastward of Langfang on the Lungai Railway southwards to slightly westward of Kihien and Taikangshien and south-westerly towards Yencheng.

REBELS FLEE TO TINGTAO.

(Wah Tai Tat Pao.)

SHANGHAI, July 2.

The Military Headquarters have received a wire from General Chen Tiao Yuan to the effect that the rebels under Shih Yu San in Western Shantung, launched another offensive on the Government forces between Liutungshieh and Kaotichuan on Sunday.

They were eventually beaten and fled to Tingtao.

Tungming was captured by the victors.

"IRONSIDES" FUTILE COUNTER-ATTACKS.

(Wah Tai Tat Pao.)

HANKOW, July 2.

The Kwangsi "Ironsides" troops made several attempts to counter-attack the Government forces, but they were beaten on each occasion.

Chiang Kai Shek has instructed the Cantonese troops to remain in Hunan to exterminate the rebels. Chiang Kai Shek has ordered the Kwangsi troops to withdraw to Kiangsi.

General Ho Ying Ching will return to Hankow as soon as General Ho Chien returns to Changsha.

FOREIGN JOURNALISTS VISIT LUNGHAI FRONT.

(Wah Tai Tat Pao.)

NANKING, July 2.

A number of foreign journalists have proceeded to the Lunghai front to inspect the situation there. Before their departure, they were entertained at a banquet held at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Military Headquarters.

CHINA MERCHANTS' CO.**TIENSIN BRANCH COMMANDEERED.**

(Wah Tai Tat Pao.)

TIENSIN, July 2.

The authorities here have been telegraphically instructed by Yen Hsi Shan to take over the control of the branch office of the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company and the Chi Yu Company.

DEATH OF WANG SHIH CHEN.

(Wah Tai Tat Pao.)

PEKING, July 2.

Wang Shih Chen, former Minister of War and acting Premier of the Peking Government, died here at the age of 70 years, after a brief illness.

EAST AFRICAN UNION.**QUESTION TO REMAIN IN OBEYANCE.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 1.

In the House of Commons, the Prime Minister stated that it had now been decided, in view of the short time remaining, not to seek the appointment this session of a joint committee to consider the question of closer union in East Africa.

EUROPEAN CUSTOMS UNION.**UNITED STATES OF EUROPE.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PARIS, July 1.

The congress of advocates of the European Customs Union discussed M. Briand's recent Memorandum, and unanimously passed a resolution that the objects of M. Briand's plan would be best attained by the agreement of smaller groups of countries with an amalgamation of the groups later.

CHANG SITS ON THE FENCE.**MANCHURIAN WARLORD AND WARRING FACTIONS.****FENGTIEN TROOPS MOBILIZE.**

Chinese cable advices from Peking indicate that Yen Hsi Shan has resolved to form the proposed provisional government at Peking. The outlines of the organization have been drafted, and it is reported that the Government will consist for the time being of the Ministries of Finance, Communications and Foreign Affairs.

Among the members selected for the committee of the government are Wang Ching Wei and Chang Hsueh Liang, but the latter has shown no inclination to accept the post.

Chang Hsueh Liang has not yet stated whether his sympathies are with the Nanking regime or the Northern coalition, but a Mukden report states that he has ordered five divisions of his Fengtien troops to mobilize. Two of the divisions will be conveyed to Tsingtao by gunboats, while the rest will strike down from Peking along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

According to Shanghai cables, there has been no fresh development in the military situation on all the fronts.

General Offensive On Hsuehchow.

A military conference was held at Tsinan by the Shansi troops on Monday, when it was decided to order a general offensive on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway with Hsuehchow as the objective. Yen Hsi Shan has received a wire from Feng Yu Hsiang requesting him to leave Taiyuan for the front to direct military operations.

Marshal Chiang Kai Shek has also instructed the Nanking troops on this sector, and those under Han Fu Cha on the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway, to counter-attack on the Shansi forces, and to recapture Tsinan.

The Shansi troops advancing along the Kiaochow-Tsinan Railway have had occasional encounters with Han Fu Chu's army. Telegraph and telephone communications between Chowsun and Tsingcheng has been interrupted.

Many Japanese residents have left Tsingcheng for Tsingtao. The Japanese Consul in Tsinan has requested the Northern troops not to seize Tsingtao.

The situation on the Lunghai front remains unchanged. The Nanking troops under Mo Ping Wen claimed to have again beaten the rebels under Sun Lien Chung and Poag Ping Hsuan at Kihien on Monday. The rebels made several futile attempts to break the line of the Government forces and Feng Yu Hsiang has dispatched reinforcements to co-operate with them. The Nanking forces are reported to have been pressing upon Kaifeng.

A General Killed.

With regard to the situation on the Peking-Hankow Railway, the Nanking armies claim certain victories. Official reports published by the Hankow Military Headquarters state that Chang Wei Sai, a Kuomintang major-general, was killed in action during an encounter with the Nanking forces under Hsu Yuan Chuan. The latter have received the sum of \$30,000 as a reward for their bravery.

General Sang Koon Yun Hsiang also claims that his troops have captured 2,000 rebels at Tungshu, which place they captured after several hours' severe fighting. They also captured ten machine-guns, several field-pieces and over 1,000 rifles.

Reports regarding the situation in Hunan state that the Government forces have captured Changning, and the Kwangsi rebels have fled to Yungchow and Chiyang. Governor Ho Chien is directing the campaign at Leiyang. The Hunanese have received lately a sum of \$300,000 from the Nanking treasury for war expenses.

A Hankow message states that the handful of troops under Wu Pei Fu in Sachuan have become very active, and that troops have been rushed to deal with them.

PEKING CUSTOMS.**SHANSI TAKING OVER SHORTLY.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEKING, July 2.

Chinese reports indicate that the Shansi authorities intend to take over the Peking local Customs shortly, but the Customs so far are continuing to function normally and without interference.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.**CLOSING DOWN IN PEKING.**

[UNITED PRESS.]

The United States Department of Commerce is closing down its office in Peking, and distributing the Americans employed there between Shanghai and Tientsin.

The American commercial attaché, Mr. Julian Arnold, who has spent about thirty years in China, is making his permanent headquarters in Shanghai, which has been selected because it is the business centre of China. The assistant commercial attaché, Mr. Bland Calder, is also moving to Shanghai.

The Department's property in the Legation quarter here, which includes offices and a house for the commercial attaché, will probably be rented or turned over to the Legation.

For a number of years, Mr. Arnold has divided his time between Peking and Shanghai, but has made his headquarters in Peking. While there has never been much business in Peking, the Department of Commerce kept its office here because it wished to keep in contact with the Government of China and the other Legations.

The government went to Nanking more than two years ago, and Mr. Arnold has spent most of his time in Shanghai during that period.

The Department has "covered" the port of Tientsin from Peking. It will now open an office in Tientsin, with a trade commissioner in charge and a considerable staff. Until recently, Manchuria also was "covered" from Peking, but a large staff has now been established in Mukden where close touch may be maintained with the actually independent Government of Manchuria.

MORE TROUBLE IN MEXICO.**CHIEF OF SECRET POLICE KILLED.**

[UNITED PRESS.]

El Paso, Texas, June 25.—Telephone messages from across the Mexican border to-day brought news of a fresh State Government upset, with Manila Jesus Estrada proclaimed as governor of Chihuahua in succession to General Alameda, who is at present here.

A riot followed the proclamation, according to the messages. In the course of the fighting, Gabriel Jimenez, chief of the secret police, was killed.

Previously the military commander had promised to give protection to members of the Chamber of Deputies if they decided to depose General Alameda.

NAVAL CAPTAIN FOUND DEAD.**FAREWELL LETTERS IN HIS BATHROOM.**

When H.M.S. Champion was to have left Portsmouth for gunnery practice at sea last month, her commander was missing. Search was made, and Captain Richard Martin Welby, R.N., was found behind locked doors in his bathroom, hanging from a cord attached to a hook in the ceiling.

The surgeon-commander tried artificial respiration, but without success.

Two letters, which are said to contain farewell messages, were found in the room.

Captain Welby, who was about 45, was married, his home being at Stoke, Devonport.

He served as a lieutenant in the Grand Fleet in 1914-15, afterwards held independent commands and was promoted captain in 1921, becoming captain in 1923.

Captain Welby had been in command of the Champion, which has several times appeared in film stories, since October last.

LONDON NAVAL TREATY.**TRENCHANT CRITICISM BY LORD BEATTY.**

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

ROOBY, July 1.

In the House of Lords, Admiral Lord Beatty raised the matter of the proposed Naval Treaty resulting from the recent Naval Conference.

Lord Beatty said this country, which was the only nation to whom sea-power meant its existence, was the only Power to make any disarmament or any reduction, and to this extent the Naval Treaty had rendered us impotent and incapable of maintaining effective control over the connecting links of our far-flung Empire.

Comparative Effects of Treaty.

Continuing, Lord Beatty said that as a result of the Treaty, the United States was increasing her cruiser tonnage by 233,000 tons; Japan was increasing her cruiser tonnage by ten per cent., or 40,000 tons; and France and Italy were not in any way restricted.

France had the intention of having 12 10,000-ton cruisers and Italy was not likely to be behind her. The reduction of our cruiser programme from 70 to 50 was one of the most inexplicable things of our time.

Life of New Warships.

Lord Beatty criticised the arrangement whereby our new ships were to have a life of 20 years, whereas foreign ships would have a life of 15 years.

Singapore Naval Base a Protection.

Referring to the Singapore Base, Lord Beatty said that was not yet finished, but without it we should be hopeless to protect our Empire and trade in the Far East and India. By 1933, France would possess 24 submarines and, Bolivia leaders of 2,300 to 2,500 tons, with 5.5 inch guns, whereas we should have only 16 of 1,000 tons with 4.7 inch guns. In destroyers we should have practical equality.

Lord Jellicoe Agrees.

Admiral of the Fleet Lord Jellicoe expressed the fullest possible agreement with Lord Beatty.

Government's Reply.

Lord Parmour, replying for the Government, said they had just as great care and anxiety for the security of the country as any other Government. The Treaty had received the unreserved support of the Dominions Governments.

Changed world conditions were, said Lord Parmour, sufficient to explain why 50 cruisers would give an efficient 1930 security for which 70 cruisers were desirable in 1927. He believed the great mass of people of this country desired this Treaty and the policy of the fullest understanding with the United States, and they were prepared to feel secure so long as they knew no step was taken except under the advice of expert advisers for and on behalf of the Board of Admiralty.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

"Naval Protection a Thing of the Past."

LONDON, July 1. "It will be a shock to the country when it awakens to the fact that Naval protection is a thing of the past," declared Lord Beatty during the debate in the House of Lords on the Naval Treaty.

Condemning it as "a great and deplorable blunder," he stressed the vulnerability of Britain's trade routes and "inadequate" cruiser strength and concluded by saying: "If we are without money for national defence, let us at least show commonsense, and keep free and untrammelled of a Treaty of this kind."

Lord Jellicoe expressed entire agreement with Lord Beatty. Lord Thomson, replying for the Government, justified the Treaty as providing a genuine attempt to solve one of the country's major problems.

PEDESTRIANISM.**RECORD HUNDRED METRES.**

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

VANCOUVER, July 2.

Eddie Tolan, the Michigan runner, did the hundred metres in ten and a fifth seconds, which is a world's record.

WIMBLEDON TENNIS RESULTS.**WOMEN MONOPOLISE PROGRAMME.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 2.

After the men's monopoly of yesterday's programme at Wimbledon, the women took the limelight, when the quarter-finals of the singles were decided.

The greatest interest was naturally manifested in Miss Phyllis Mudford, the young Sussex player, who stood up valiantly against the champion, Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody, on the centre court.

Miss Mudford won the first game, then Mrs. Wills-Moody reeled off six games in the first set. The English girl improved in the second set, taking the second and the sixth games, but Mrs. Wills-Moody's wonderful cross-court drives, as usual, wore down the opposition, and the American ran out winner 6-1, 6-2.

Another American, Miss Ryan, obliterated British hopes when she defeated Miss Betty Nuthall 6-2, 6-0.

Miss Nuthall, in spite of the confidence engendered by her sweeping victory over the hard-hitting Mrs. Mollquham in the fourth round, suffered from over-anxiety, and she could not control her shots. Miss Ryan, on the other hand, was impeccable and most forceful. She took advantage of the slightest errors, except in the second set, when Miss Betty Nuthall asserted herself.

The American's performance was most creditable in view of the fact that her first appearance at Wimbledon was in 1913.

Madame Mathieu (France) quickly followed up and eliminated Miss Joan Ridley 6-2, 6-1.

The following were the results in the third round of the women's doubles:—

Women's Doubles.

Miss Cross and Miss Sarah Paley beat Mrs. Mayne and Miss Montgomery 7-5, 6-4.

Miss Betty Nuthall and Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall beat Miss Colegate and Miss Tyrrell 6-2, 6-2.

In the quarter-finals, Mrs. Wills-Moody and Miss Ryan beat Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Lycett (England) 6-2, 6-0.

Miss Feltham and Miss Heeley beat Mrs. Haylock and Miss Dix 4-6, 7-5, 10-8.

Men's Doubles.

In the third round of the men's doubles, Tilden and Timmer (Holland) beat Bell and Mangin (America) 7-5, 8-6, 6-2.

Gregory and Collins (England) beat Sharpe and Wheatley (England) 3-6, 6-0, 6-3, 6-2, 7-5.

Doeg and Lott (American) beat Poland and Malfroy (England) 7-6, 2-6, 14-12, 6-3.

In the quarter-finals of the men's doubles, Allison and Van Ryn (America) holders, beat Austin and Olliff 6-2, 7-5, 7-5, 7-5.

Doeg and Lott (America) beat Hopman and Willard (Australia) 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-0, 8-6.

Mixed Doubles.

In the fourth round of the mixed doubles, Cochet and Mrs. Fearnley-Whittingstall beat Collins and Miss Joan Fry 6-2, 6-2.

MAN OPERATES ON HIMSELF.**STOMACH SLICED WITH A RAZOR.**

LOUIS, Capetta, aged forty-two,

the owner of a pastry shop in the Borough, New York City, died last month in Lincoln Hospital from peritonitis, following an effort to operate on himself with a razor for appendicitis.

Capetta recently became ill with a pain in his stomach, which his friends told him was caused by appendicitis.

He refused to consult a doctor, saying that he could cure himself by removing his own appendix, and thus save a surgeon's fee.

He cut his abdomen with a razor, but desisted after a short incision, and the wound then healed.

The pain returned, however, and Capetta operated again.

This time he cut through his stomach wall without any anæsthetic, and, despite intense agony, seized an intestinal strand, believing it to be his appendix; cut it off, sewed himself up with an ordinary needle and thread, and went to bed.

Sports News

GOLF NOTES.

DEEP WATER BAY COURSE.

[By "WRYNCKE"]

Appropriately, when golf is most popular on the island, Deep Water Bay is at present in perfect condition. The grass is luxuriant on the fairways and the greens are good.

The plans for the Happy Valley club house have been on view for some time, and show an attractive building. The verandah in particular is well designed with an absence of those pillars which spoil the club houses at Deep Water Bay and Fanling. Half the attractiveness of a golf club house depends on the possibility of watching away from the possibility of watching away from people making a mess of the 18th, and supporting pillars do not assist in this selfish pastime!

On the other hand if this pastime cannot be indulged in, players must need and other forms of amusement with perhaps greater support, rid the bar, to the club's finances. There always seem to be two sides to a picture if one only looks long enough.

I understand some of those who do me the honour of reading these notes have been rather disappointed lately at the sparseness of references to local golf. Just now, as everybody knows, there is nothing very thrilling in the local golf world, but if any reader will be kind enough to pass on any item of particular interest for this column to me, care of the Editor, I shall be very grateful for his (or her) assistance.

The Amateur Championship. Final.

Bobby Jones's desire to win the Wethered was due to two things. Firstly, he played a superlative first round in which he took more than four shots only at one hole, namely, the 17th, where he missed a four foot putt to create a new record for St. Andrews. Secondly, Wethered failed on numerous occasions to sink the five foot putts which, between players of this class, makes the difference between winning and losing matches.

No Takers.

Jones's reputation as a golfer is well illustrated by the report that a commission was called from America to place \$1,000 on his chances of winning the English amateur and open and the American open and amateur Championships. Instructions were to try and get odds of 50 to 1 against.

None of the leading bookmakers would take the bet and Lloyds would only give 8 to 1 to insure the risk!

Prince of Wales as a Golfer.

The Prince has been taking an ever increasing interest in golf, and his new house Blydevere is close to Sunningdale. His present handicap is 12, but he can play well below this when he is in form, and he has been well taught.

Last Autumn he played six matches with Mr. de Montmorency who was at the top of his form and full value for his scratch handicap average 69 for each of the six rounds. Conceding half to the Prince he got no change out of him.

The Prince has also been friendly with Bobby Jones, and recently partnered him against Harrison Johnston, who beat the great Bobby in the final of the American amateur, and Sir Victor Sassoon. The Prince's privacy is generally respected on the course, but the special nature of this match attracted considerable attention. Crowds are no novelty to the Prince, but golf before a gallery made him nervous, with the inevitable result. His nerve however was quickly restored when his partner was guilty of an even worse fumble, and the Prince saved the situation by a masterly pitch. They were downed 2 down but managed to win the last three holes.

Woman v. Men.

To mark the completion of reconstruction work on the New Zealand course at Blyde, an impromptu match was staged. The men were led by three members of the Walker Cup team—Tolly, Hartley and Wethered, and Miss Joyce Wethered, Miss Molly Gourlay and Miss Dorothy Pearson opposed them. Judged by modern standards, this course is not "long." The ladies received a start of two holes and the advantage of the forward tees. In spite of this the method of handicapping adopted was in no way equal to the concession of a half which the men have to give in the annual match at Stoke Poges.

Miss Wethered beat Tolly by 9 and 1, although generally out-distanced from the tee. Tolly's second shot was often indifferent, and neither player putted well. Rex Hartley practically won his match against Miss Gourlay by going out in 81 which included five (Continued at foot of next column.)

ENGLAND'S DEFEAT.

COMMENT ON THE SECOND TEST.

There is no getting away from it that the English eleven was fairly and squarely beaten in the second Test Match. Ruter, as usual, is rather silent on points one would like to know. But it was stated that the wicket was perfect and we won the toss. As a matter of fact, you can hardly say that the English side failed, although the trouncing was so decisive. They made exactly eight hundred runs in their two innings. But what happened was that Australia's bowlers could get wickets—cost, while ours could not. It is quite clear that after the first two wickets fell, for over five hundred and fifty I think, the other batted about for runs and of course had only tired bowlers to deal with.

The Changes in the Side.

The three changes were interesting. Dick Tyldeley was dropped. Whether White, who took his place, did better or worse than the Lancashire man might probably have done we have no means of knowing at the time of writing. He got three wickets, sending down fifty-one over for a shade over three runs apiece, which is pretty good in an innings of even hundred and twenty-nine. Ruter is silent as to dropped catches, but we know Bradman was not dropped.

Dulepsingh thoroughly justified his selection. He took Sutcliffe's place, for the Yorkshire batsman was still on the injured list. In any case, I fancy a place would have been found for him. Larwood also was away ill. This was a tragedy, though one cannot be sure that he would have made all the difference. Late only took one wicket for one hundred and forty-eight.

But G. O. Allen as a bowler was a failure. Most people out here were surprised at his selection. He plays for Middlesex who are very nearly at the bottom of the Championship table, so his bowling does not seem to have done much good for the County. It is true he made fifty-seven in the second knock, but there are probably fifty bats who are quite capable of making a half century in one or other of the Test Matches. What is wanted is the fast bowler with that little extra bit of pace off the pitch to get the slip chances.

The Next Team.

It is to be hoped that Larwood will be fit again by the next match. It is a thousand pities he has not the stamina Tom Richardson possessed. Sutcliffe, too, should be fit to return and this would give us Hobbs, Sutcliffe, Larwood, Dulepsingh, Chapman, and Tate as reasonable certainties—barring the question of whether the two days' fielding damaged Hobbs' weak thigh-muscle at all.

I cannot help thinking that one of Woolley, Hammond and Henderson will be possibly to give a chance to Wyatt. It is very difficult to go further, as one does not know how the various slow bowlers are doing. Personally, I should be inclined to take a chance and stiffen the batting by playing Freeman and Ames' vice. Whyte and Duckworth. This makes eight, with my previous six choices. If you add Woolley, Henderson, Hammond, and Robins you have a pretty useful twelve to pick your side from. One thing is clear. Robins may not be good enough on a plumb pitch, but on a tricky wicket he is an absolute necessity.

Runs.

Scoring comes along reasonably briskly at these games now. Sixteen hundred and one runs were scored in less than four days' cricket. (I gather the game was over about an hour before time.) Actually by many hours per day are played is not very clear, but it seems as if a good many more than sixty runs per hour were being made.

R. ABBIT.

LEAGUE TENNIS.

RECREIO'S WIN IN MIXED DOUBLES.

In spite of the rain just before the start of the tennis yesterday three league matches were decided. In the "Mixed Doubles" the Club de Recreio defeated the K.C.C. by seven sets to two, while the S.C.A.A., playing at home beat the Club de Recreio in the "C" Division by five sets to four after a keen and interesting game. The other match was between the C.R.C. and the University and resulted in an easy win for the former.

"MIXED DOUBLES."

Club de Recreio v. K.C.C.

Scores:—
Miss Assumpcao and Xavier (Club de Recreio) v.
beat Mrs. Sayer and E. C. Fincher 6-1
beat Mrs. Hedley and T. Lay 6-2
beat Mrs. Handley and G. Bodiker 6-0

Miss C. Botelho and Barretto (Club de Recreio) v.
beat Mrs. Sayer and E. C. Fincher 6-2
beat Mrs. Hedley and T. Lay 6-0
lost to Mrs. Handley and G. Bodiker 2-6

Miss Ribeiro and F. Remedios (Club de Recreio) v.
beat Mrs. Sayer and E. C. Fincher 6-0
beat Mrs. Hedley and T. Lay 6-2
lost to Mrs. Handley and G. Bodiker 1-6

C.R.C. Beat University.

Travelling to Pokfulam, the Chinese Recreation Club beat the University by nine sets to nil. The scores were:—

G. E. Yeoh and Miss R. Kwok (University) v.
lost to M. K. Lo and Miss G. Lo 2-6
lost to M. W. Lo and Miss E. Lo 1-6
lost to K. L. Ho and Mrs. Chui 1-6

Y. G. Ng and Miss G. Ho Tung (University) v.
lost to M. K. Lo and Miss G. Lo 5-7
lost to M. W. Lo and Miss E. Lo 0-6
lost to K. L. Ho and Mrs. Chui 2-6

F. Y. Khoo and Miss R. Persy (University) v.
lost to M. K. Lo and Miss G. Lo 2-6
lost to M. W. Lo and Miss E. Lo 0-6
lost to K. L. Ho and Mrs. Chui 5-7

"C" DIVISION.

S.C.A.A. v. Club de Recreio.

Playing on their own ground the S.C.A.A. defeated the Club de Recreio by five sets to four. The scores were:—

K. S. Siew and F. N. Wong (S.C.A.A.) v.
beat J. Xavier and A. Silva 5-1
lost to L. A. Ribeiro and A. Noronha 4-6
beat L. A. Rocha and G. A. Noronha 6-4

K. H. Chan and K. M. Chan (S.C.A.A.) v.
beat J. Xavier and A. Silva 7-5
lost to L. Ribeiro and A. Remedios 3-6
lost to L. Rocha and G. A. Noronha 4-6

K. T. Lui and H. K. Ho (S.C.A.A.) v.
beat J. Xavier and A. Silva 6-2
lost to L. Ribeiro and A. Remedios 3-6
lost to L. Rocha and G. A. Noronha 0-6

BOXING.

FOUL BLOW DOES NOT DISQUALIFY BOXERS.

[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE]

New York, July 2.

Henceforth a low or foul blow will not disqualify a boxer in New York State, whose Boxing Commission has decided that pugilists must henceforth wear abdominal guards.

A clause in a boxer's agreement will provide that the contest will not be terminated by a foul blow.

The resolution is the result of a request by the managers of Sammy Mandell and Al Singer for a ruling to prevent their lightweight championship contest on the 17th inst. ending on a foul.

HOME CRICKET SCORES.

LEICESTER BEAT HAMPSHIRE BY THREE RUNS.

EIGHTEEN INDIVIDUAL CENTURIES: GOOD BOWLING PERFORMANCES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, July 1.

Batsmen and bowlers both came into prominence in the cricket matches concluded to-day. In spite of eighteen centuries scored against them, the bowlers also returned good analyses which are recorded below.

Yorkshire, by defeating Middlesex on a small margin of runs, took top place on the Championship Table, hitherto held by Kent. One of the closest victories of the season was gained at Leicester, where the home County beat Hampshire by three runs in a very exciting game. County matches were all played to a finish except two fixtures in which points had to be distributed.

SUMMARY OF THE RESULTS.

Lancashire v. Kent.
Lancashire beat Kent by an innings and 48 runs at Manchester.
Kent 194 Lancs 390

Glamorgan v. Warwick.
Glamorgan beat Warwickshire by 224 runs at Swansea.
Glamorgan 500 Warwick 276
(3 wickets, declared) 152 73

York v. Middlesex.
Yorkshire beat Middlesex by 29 runs at Sheffield.
Yorks 341 Middlesex 312
(4 wickets, declared) 207 300

Northants v. Somerset.
Northants beat Somerset by 87 runs at Kettering.
Northants 275 Somerset 188

Worcester v. Sussex.
Sussex won on the first innings against Worcestershire at Worcester.
Sussex 381 Worcester 275
(8 wickets, declared) 116 (2 wickets) 62

Derby v. Notts.
Notts won on the first innings against Derbyshire at Ilkeston.
Notts 349 Derby 242
(8 wickets, declared) 205 (4 wickets) 108

Leicestershire v. Hampshire.
Leicestershire beat Hampshire by three runs at Leicester.
Leicester 237 Hants 240
116 101

Surrey v. Oxford.
Surrey and Oxford University played to a draw at the Oval.
Surrey 405 Oxford 622
(4 wickets) 311

Mr. Leveson-Gower's XI. v. Cambridge.
Cambridge University drew with Mr. Leveson-Gower's XI. at Eastbourne.
Cambridge (6 wickets, dec.) 432 Leveson-Gower's XI. 403
(6 wickets, declared) 291 (3 wickets) 175

Batting.
Ford (Oxford) 180
Kingsley (Oxford) 176
Leyland (Yorks) 172
D. Davis (Glamorgan) 171
Hearne (Middlesex) 158
Nichol (Worcester) 155
Brown (Cambridge) 140
Morkel (Leveson-Gower) 137
Howell (Leveson-Gower) 135
Watson (Lancs) 134

Bowling.
Ryan (Glamorgan) 5 for 133
and 5 for 31
Croome (Warwick) 6 for 65
Macdonald (Lancs) 5 for 77
and 6 for 63
Townsend (Derby) 6 for 66
Dunston (Middlesex) 5 for 91
Bones (Yorks) 8 for 69
Leyland (Yorks) 5 for 62
Boyes (Hants) 4 for 84
and 8 for 37

LANOS v. KENT.
LEADERS BEATEN.
Kent's recent successes against the Counties received a check at Manchester, where they lost to Lancashire by an innings and 48 runs. They drop to second place on the Championship Table, while the winners moved a step higher.

Batting first, Kent scored 194 runs only against the attack of Macdonald, who accounted for half of the side. Lancashire replied with 390 thanks to Watson and Ernest Tyldesley both passing the century mark. Macdonald was joined by Dick Tyldesley in the second innings to dismiss Kent for a paltry 147.

Kent, 1st innings 194
Macdonald, 5 for 77.
Lancs, 1st innings 390
Watson, 134.
E. Tyldesley, 117.
Kent, 2nd innings 147
Macdonald, 5 for 83.
Dick Tyldesley, 4 for 25.

GLAMORGAN v. WARWICK.
WARWICK BEATEN.
At Swansea, Glamorgan beat Warwick by 224 runs.
Glamorgan scored 500 runs in their first innings, Dai Davies contributing 171 and Bell 120. Warwick replied with 276, Smith assisting with 120, while Croome missed his century by four runs.

In their second innings Glamorgan declared at 152 runs for three wickets, but Warwick collapsed for the poor total of 73. Mercer and Ryan bowled successfully against Warwick.

Glamorgan, 1st innings 500
Bell, 120.
D. Davies, 171.
Croome, 6 for 65.
Warwick, 1st innings 276
Smith, 120.
Croome, 96.
Mercer, 4 for 70.
Ryan, 5 for 133.
Glamorgan, 2nd innings 152
wickets, declared) 152
Warwick, 2nd innings 73
Mercer, 4 for 33.
Ryan, 5 for 31.

YORKS v. MIDDLESEX.

LEYLAND SCORES 172.

At Sheffield, Yorkshire beat Middlesex by the small margin of 29 runs—a victory which placed them at the top of the Championship Table.

Leyland scored 172 for Yorkshire in their first innings total of 341. Middlesex made little progress against the bowling of Bowes, who took eight wickets for 89 when the whole side went down for 319.

Yorkshire declared their second innings closed at 207 runs for four wickets, Mitchell then being still at the wicket with 105 to his credit. Hearne (158) played a fine innings for Middlesex in their second effort, but the last wicket fell with the total at 300 and 29 runs behind.

Yorks, 1st innings 341
Leyland, 172.
Dunston, 5 for 91.
Middlesex, 1st innings 319
Bowes, 8 for 89.
Yorks, 2nd innings (4 wickets, declared) 207
Mitchell, 105 not out.
Middlesex, 2nd innings 300
Hearne, 158.
Leyland, 5 for 82.

NORTHANTS v. SOMERSET.

CLARK'S GOOD BOWLING.

At Kettering, Northants beat Somerset by 87 runs.

A feature of this match was the fine bowling of Clark in both innings against Somersetshire. In the first innings he took five wickets for 88 runs, Somerset's total being 259. Following this up with five for 35, Somerset were dismissed for 112 runs, leaving them 87 runs behind the combined Northants total of 453.

Northants, 1st innings 275
Somerset, 1st innings 259
Clark, 5 for 88.
Northants, 2nd innings 183
Somerset, 2nd innings 122
Clark, 5 for 35.

WORCESTER v. SUSSEX.

THREE CENTURIES.

At Worcester, the home County gave first innings points to Sussex.
Parks (106) and J. Langridge (127) assisted Sussex to gain the advantage with a total of 301. Worcester replied with 275, Nichol being responsible for 155.

In their second innings Sussex declared at 116 with two wickets in hand, and at call of time Worcester had made 62 for two wickets.

Sussex, 1st innings 301
J. Parks, 106.
J. Langridge, 127.
Worcester, 1st innings 275
Nichol, 155.
J. Langridge, 5 for 42.
Sussex, 2nd innings (8 wickets, declared) 116
Worcester, 2nd innings (2 wickets) 62

DERBY v. NOTTS.

WIN ON FIRST INNINGS.

At Ilkeston, Notts, took first innings points from Derbyshire. Notts scored 349, and in their second innings declared at 305 with two wickets in hand. Derby's response was 242 in the first innings, and 108 for four wickets at close of play.

Notts, 1st innings 349
Townsend, 6 for 80.
Derby, 1st innings 242
Voce, 4 for 83.
Notts, 2nd innings (8 wickets, declared) 305
Derby, 2nd innings (4 wickets) 108

LEICESTER v. HAMPSHIRE.

WIN BY THREE RUNS!

At Leicester, the home County beat Hampshire by the small margin of three runs.

It was a successful day for bowlers, Bowes being prominent in Leicestershire's victory, while Astill shone for the losers.

Hants scored 11 runs more than Leicester in the first innings, and both sides were in for a surprise in the second innings. Bowes attacked the Leicester citadel vigorously to dismiss them for 115 runs. Snary and Astill, however, had their revenge by getting all the Hampshire men out for 101 runs and taking the full eight points by a margin of three runs.

Leicester, 1st innings 237
Bowes, 4 for 84.
Hants, 1st innings 249
Astill, 7 for 76.
Leicester, 2nd innings 115
Bowes, 8 for 37.
Hants, 2nd innings 101
Snary, 5 for 20.
Astill, 4 for 45.

SURREY v. OXFORD.

FOUR BATSMEN SHINE.

At the Oval, Surrey and Oxford University had to content themselves with a draw after high individual scores by two batsmen on either side.

Barling contributed 103 for the County team in their total of 405. Ford and Kingsley scored 108 and 176 respectively for the University, who had a total of 622.

Shepherd stepped in for 122 in Surrey's second innings, which was (Continued on next column.)

WATER POLO.

BATHING CLUB DRAW A BLANK.

SOMERSETS' WIN BY NINE GOALS.

In the senior water polo match yesterday, the Somerset beat the Chinese Bathing Club by nine goals to nil, five of which were scored in the first half.

The Somerset owed their success to speedy work and good passing near the goal area, where L/Cpl. Earley picked up and banged seven times into the net. Lieut. Howard and Bdm. Fox scored one goal each.

The teams were:—
Somerset L.I.:—Pte. Russell, C. M. S. Naylor, Pte. Meadows, Bdm. Mackenzie, Bdm. Fox, Lt. Howard, L/Cpl. Earley.

Chinese Bathing Club:—Leung Shui Man, Lau Yun Chung, Wan Kwong Ting, Chu Chu Cheuk, Yee Wing Kwong, Wong Kan Che, Lee Lee Hing.

Fukien Club Win.

With their faster work and accurate passing, the Fukien Club fully deserved their victory of two goals to nil against the Somerset in the junior game.

Skinner had a lot to do at the net, though the shooting was rather weak. On the other hand, the Somerset drove several hard ones which were turned aside by Kwok.

In the first half, M. S. Luk was twice stopped by Skinner at close range, but he succeeded in his third attempt. T. W. Wong added the second goal towards the end.

The teams were:—
Somerset L.I.:—Skinner, Hill, Bolton, Parkes, Lilley, Sproutin, Seymour.

Fukien Club:—K. T. Kwok, Y. L. Long, I. T. Sung, K. Wong, M. S. Luk, G. Lai, T. W. Wong.

left with a total of 311 for four wickets when time was called.

Surrey, 1st innings 405
Barling, 103.
Oxford, 1st innings 622
Kingsley, 176.
Ford, 180.
Surrey, 2nd innings (4 wickets) 311
Shepherd, 122.

CAMBRIDGE AGAIN DRAW.

MATCH AT EASTBOURNE.

At Eastbourne, the University drew with Mr. G. G. D. Leveson-Gower's eleven.

The University declared at 432 for eight wickets, Carris making his century by two runs, while Brown went on to make 140. Morkel (137) and Howell (135) were the principal scorers for the other side, who put up a total of 403.

The second innings was left uncompleted with the University making a declaration with two wickets in hand.

Cambridge, 1st innings (6 wickets, declared) 432
Carris, 140.
Brown, 140.
Leveson-Gower's XI, 1st innings 403
Howell, 135.
Morkel, 137.

Cambridge, 2nd innings (8 wickets, declared) 291
Leveson-Gower's XI, 2nd innings (3 wickets) 175

CHAMPIONSHIP TABLE.

		1st Inn, No					
		P	W	L	W.L	Res	
Yorkshire	13	7	1	3	1	1	78
Kent	14	9	4	1	0	0	77
Lancashire	13	6	0	2	4	1	74
Notts	13	6	1	3	2	1	73
Sussex	14	6	2	0	4	0	60
Gloucester	12	6	2	0	4	0	60
Derbyshire	13	5	4	1	2	1	55
Surrey	13	1	6	4	1	0	54
Worcester	13	2	4	5	3	0	50
Leicester	13	3	4	4	2	0	50
Warwick	14	2	4	5	3	0	50
Essex	12	3	3	3	3	0	48
Glamorgan	12	2	5	4	1	0	39
Northants	14	3	8	1	1	1	38
Hampshire	14	3	5	0	3	0	33
Middlesex	14	0	8	1	5	2	2
Somerset	11	0	8	3	0	0	0

INTIMATIONS.

CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held on WEDNESDAY, the 16th DAY OF JULY, 1930, in the Company's Board Room, ALBANY BUILDING, HONG KONG, at 12 O'CLOCK NOON, for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolutions:—

- That the Capital of the CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED, be increased from \$3,000,000 to \$4,500,000 by the creation of 300,000 Shares of \$5.00 each and that each rank for dividend and in all other respects pari passu with the existing Shares of the Company.
- That in the event of the above Resolution being passed, 294,788 Shares shall be issued and offered in the first instance by the Directors at par to existing Shareholders on the Register of the Company as at the 16th day of July, 1930, rateably in the proportion of ONE Share for every TWO Shares held by such Shareholders, and in the event of any of the said 294,788 Shares not being taken up by the Shareholders within the time stipulated by the Directors, the Board shall be empowered to allot them or dispose of them as they in their discretion deem expedient in the interests of the Company.

NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED FROM MONDAY, the 7th DAY OF JULY, 1930, to WEDNESDAY, the 16th DAY OF JULY, 1930, Both Days inclusive.

Dated this Twenty-sixth day of June 1930.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
D. L. KING,
Secretary. [5578]

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BANK OF CHINA, Ltd., Tientsin and Shanghai only.

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On \$20 DEBENTURES: Per Coupon (Gross) ... 12.0.0
Less Tax at 5% in the 2 ... 2.8.3/5

Net Amount Payable 9.3.3/5

On \$100 DEBENTURES: Per Coupon (Gross) ... 23.0.0
Less Tax at 5% in the 2 ... 13.6.0

Net Amount Payable 22.8.6

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Less Tax at 5% in the 2 ... 3.7.8

Net Amount Payable 211.12.6

Payment will be made in Local Currency at the Demand Paying Rate of Exchange of the Day the Coupon is presented.

By Order,
THE KAILAN MINING ADMINISTRATION,
P. C. YOUNG,
General Manager. [5595]

HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FOR Reasons given to Shareholders at the Annual General Meeting of the Company, held on 7th MAY, 1930, the Directors have decided to CANCEL all the Existing Share Certificates and to REPLACE them by New Share Certificates of a different Colour.

All Shareholders are therefore requested to send their Share Certificates to the Registered Office of the Company at ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS, VICTORIA, in the Colony of Hong Kong, forthwith so that the New Share Certificates may be prepared and issued to them in lieu of the Certificates now held by them which will be Cancelled.

By Order of the Board,
JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hong Kong, 20th June, 1930. [5565]

U.S. BASEBALL RESULTS.

[REUTERS' AMERICAN SERVICE.]

New York, July 1.
To-day's baseball League matches resulted as follows:—

National League.
St. Louis 15 Brooklyn 7
Chicago 4 New York 3
Pittsburg 3 Boston 3

American League.
Boston 3 Cleveland 1
Philadelphia 4 Detroit 1

ATHLETICS BARELY HOLD THEIR OWN.

BROOKLYN DRAW EVER FARTHER AWAY.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, June 29.—While Philadelphia and Washington continued a nip-and-tuck race for American League supremacy, the National League leaders, the Dodgers, walloped the Cubs and increased their margin of separation, the Brooklynites moving up to a percentage of .639 and the Cubs dropping back to .590. New York still running third with .541.

The Athletics won at St. Louis to-day by 8-3, which brought their percentage to .639. Bunching their hits, the world champions made all their scores in the sixth, seventh, and eighth innings. Fox hit a home run for the Athletics.

The Senators, similarly won at Washington, trimming the Detroit Tigers by 12 to 4 in a game full of errors. The Tigers were responsible for four errors and the Senators for three. Washington's percentage is now .619, with the Yanks running third with .596 as a result of to-day's win over Cleveland by 13-11.

Boston's Red Sox defeated the Chicago White Sox by 9 to 7, in spite of a White Sox rally in the ninth inning, when two last-minute runs went across the plate. Hunsfield, S. Barnes, and Jolley of the White Sox committed errors.

The Pittsburgh Pirates won both games of a double-header against the Phillies, nosing out a bare 1-0 victory in the initial contest, but taking the second at 11-5. The Pirates made four hits in the first game and scored three runs in the third inning for the only run of the contest.

With each team getting nine hits and committing one error, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the Cubs by 7 to 1 at Chicago.

The New York Giants walloped 20 hits and won from the Cardinals by 12-4 at St. Louis. Each team committed two errors.

The following are the detailed results of to-day's games:—

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs. R. H. E.
Cleveland 11 16 2
New York 13 16 1

Detroit 4 10 4
Washington 12 17 3

Chicago 7 11 3
Boston 9 11 0

St. Louis 3 10 0
Philadelphia 8 13 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs. R. H. E.
Philadelphia 0 7 0
Pittsburg (first game) 1 4 0

Philadelphia 5 14 2
Pittsburg (second game) 11 17 0

Brooklyn 7 9 1
Chicago 1 9 1

New York 12 20 2
St. Louis 4 9 2

Standings.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.
Philadelphia 42 24 .636

Washington 39 24 .619

New York 37 25 .596

Cleveland 33 31 .518

Detroit 30 36 .454

St. Louis 28 38 .426

Chicago 23 37 .383

Boston 24 39 .381

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Clubs. Won. Lost. Pct.
Brooklyn 38 22 .636

Chicago 36 28 .560

New York 33 28 .541

St. Louis 30 31 .492

Pittsburg 28 32 .468

Boston 27 31 .465

Cincinnati 25 38 .397

Philadelphia 23 36 .390

AMERICAN 'VARSITY BOAT RACE.

CORNELL WIN PRINCIPAL AND JUNIOR EVENTS.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., June 26.—Cornell won the eight-oared 'Varsity rowing race, the feature of the annual Intercollegiate Rowing Regatta, held here to-day, with Syracuse, Massachusetts Technical and University of California finishing behind in the order named. The time was 21 min. 22 sec. for the four-mile course.

In the freshman crews' race, Syracuse won, with Cornell second, and Columbia third, the time being 11 min. 18 1/2 sec.

Cornell took the junior race in 17 min. 38 sec., with Washington second and Columbia third.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

SUBSTANTIAL RECOVERY BY U.S. STEEL.

PROFIT-TAKING AT CLOSE.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, June 29.—A substantial recovery occurred on the New York Stock Exchange to-day under the leadership of U.S. Steel which closed up one point to 156 1/2, says the daily review of the Dow Jones Financial News Agency.

Bethlehem Steel closed at 79 1/2, up two points. Ludlum closed up 1 1/2 to 24 1/2. American Rolling Mill remained at 53 1/2. American Waterworks was up 1 1/2 to 64 1/2.

Trading quieted down about the middle of the session. Leading railroads, utilities and specialties advanced from one to ten points.

There was some profit-taking at the close of the session, but this had little effect upon the market. The Dow Jones average for 30 industrial stocks was up five to 290.88. Westinghouse gained two points to close at 133 1/2; General Electric was up two points to 67 1/2; American Can gained four points to close at 117 1/2; Du Pont was up 1 1/2 to close at 104 1/2; and Union Carbide was up 3 1/2 to 67 1/2.

American Tobacco a Large Gainer.

American Tobacco showed one of the largest gains of the market as a result of an announcement of a stock split-up and extra dividends. At the close American Tobacco "A" was up 4 1/2 to 231 1/2. Reynolds Tobacco "B" closed up 1 1/2 to 47 1/2. Liggett & Myers "B" was up 3 1/2 to 89 1/2.

The Dow Jones average for 30 railroads was up 3.10 to 128.13, with Pennsylvania off an eighth to 70 1/2, but Union Pacific up 3 1/2 to 205 1/2, Rock Island up 4 1/2 to 98 1/2, Canadian Pacific up 3 1/2 to 187 1/2, and Northern Pacific up 3 1/2 to 72.

Utilities also gained, with the Dow Jones average up 2.47 for 20 issues, to 80.47. American Tel. & Tel. was up 2 1/2 to 207 1/2. International Tel. & Tel. was up half a point to 42 1/2; Standard Gas was up 2 1/2 to 91; Columbia Gas was up 2 1/2 to 65; and Consolidated Gas was up four points to 105 1/2.

Time money was quoted at 2 1/2 per cent. for 90 days and 2 1/2 per cent. for 90 days.

Sales for the day totalled 2,272,080 shares.

QUOTATIONS.

New York, June 27.

Market strong.

Business done, 2,272,080 shares.

June 25 26

Adams Express ... 113 1/2 117 1/2

American Can ... 62 1/2 63 1/2

American & Foreign Power ... 62 1/2 63 1/2

American Rolling Mill ... 54 1/2 57 1/2

American Smelting ... 227 1/2 231 1/2

American Tel. & Tel. ... 42 1/2 43 1/2

American Tobacco "A" ... 231 1/2 231 1/2

American Waterworks ... 64 1/2 64 1/2

Anaconda Copper ... 46 1/2 47 1/2

Atlantic Refining ... 34 3/4 34 3/4

Baltimore & Ohio ... 100 1/2 100 1/2

Bethlehem Steel ... 79 1/2 79 1/2

Borg Warner ... 25 1/2 25 1/2

Calumet & Hecla ... 14 1/2 15 1/2

Canadian Pacific Railway ... 184 1/2 187 1/2

Chesapeake Corporation ... 51 1/2 54 1/2

Chicago Rock Island ... 98 1/2 98 1/2

Chrysler ... 28 1/2 29 1/2

Cities Service Common ... 18 1/2 18 1/2

Columbia Gas & Electric ... 60 1/2 63 1/2

Columbia Graphophone ... 18 1/2 18 1/2

Commercial Solvents ... 21 1/2 22 1/2

Commonwealth & S. Warr. ... 13 1/2 13 1/2

Consolidated Gas of N. Y. ... 10 1/2 10 1/2

Continental Oil ... 18 1/2 18 1/2

Corn Products ... 92 1/2 94 1/2

Curtis Wright, Common ... 62 1/2 63 1/2

Du Pont de Nemours ... 103 1/2 104 1/2

Eastman Kodak ... 153 1/2 153 1/2

Electric Rail & Share ... 36 1/2 37 1/2

Erie Railway ... 40 1/2 40 1/2

Fox Film "A" ... 60 1/2 60 1/2

General Electric ... 67 1/2 67 1/2

General Food ... 52 1/2 54 1/2

General Motors ... 40 1/2 40 1/2

General Railway Signal ... 36 1/2 37 1/2

Gold Dust ... 25 1/2 26 1/2

Goodrich Rubber ... 59 1/2 59 1/2

Goodyear Tire & Rubber ... 19 1/2 20 1/2

Granby ... 7 1/2 7 1/2

Great Northern Corporation ... 67 1/2 68 1/2

Hecla Mining ... 63 1/2 63 1/2

International Cement ... 69 1/2 69 1/2

International Combustion Eng. ... 61 1/2 61 1/2

International Harvester ... 80 1/2 82 1/2

International Paper ... 23 1/2 24 1/2

International Printers Ink ... 23 1/2 24 1/2

International Tel. & Tel. ... 41 1/2 42 1/2

International Products Com. ... 41 1/2 42 1/2

Johns-Manville ... 70 1/2 72 1/2

Kennecott Copper ... 37 1/2 39 1/2

Kreuger & Toll ... 28 1/2 29 1/2

Kroger Grocery ... 22 1/2 23 1/2

Liggett & Myers "B" ... 47 1/2 47 1/2

Ludlum Steel ... 23 1/2 24 1/2

EASTERN NEWS IN BRIEF.

PARS FROM EVERYWHERE.

The Eastern Times alleges that the Japanese Government has decided to send back to China over 600 Chinese labourers now in Tokyo before the end of next month. The first batch of about 30 Chinese workmen were sent to Shanghai from Tokyo last week, says the journal in question.

A very pleasant function took place on June 22 when the committee of the Shanghai Hebrew Relief Society gathered at the Shelter House for Aged Women at 6 Ward Road and a farewell tea was given to Mr. and Mrs. B. Shainin to which all the inmates of the Shelter House were invited. All members of the S.H.R.S. who wish to attend the farewell tea to be given at the Majestic Hotel on Sunday, June 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Shainin, are requested to ring up 34231, and make the necessary booking at the Hebrew Relief Society's Table.

Mr. Gordon T. Bowles, son of Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bowles, of Tokyo, says the Japan Advertiser, has been awarded a \$2,000 fellowship for study in China. After four months in Berlin and the same length of time working in France he expects to go on to China spending some time studying collections in museums in Bombay, Madras, Calcutta and Rangoon. After a week in Batavia he will continue to Manila, Hong Kong and Shanghai and will be in Peking for now. Mr. Bowles graduated from the American School in Japan, from Earlham College and is now doing postgraduate work in archaeology at Harvard.

PLAN TO STOP FOUL BOXING.

BAN ON THOSE DELIBERATELY BREAKING RULES.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, June 28.—Mr. Frank Bruen, vice-president of Madison Square Garden, in the hope of putting an end to the current epidemic of fouls in major boxing bouts, to-day proposed to bar for ever such fighters as were adjudged guilty of indulging in deliberate fouls. He would also make it compulsory for boxers to wear protectors to guard the against fouls. Experts say that the scientific construction of present-day protectors makes their efficacy practically 100 per cent.

At the same time, a storm was being roused elsewhere in the realm of boxing by Arthur Bulow, Max Schmeling's repudiated German manager, who holds a contract running until October 10. Bulow said he will do all in his power to prevent the holding of the Schmeling and Sharkey return match.

UNEMPLOYMENT IN UNITED STATES.

LATEST ESTIMATE.

Washington, June 28.—On a basis of census returns for areas representing in the aggregate about one-quarter of the United States, Mr. Robert P. Lamont, U.S. Secretary of Commerce, estimated to-day that the total unemployment in the United States is under 2,400,000 persons.

This figure represents substantially less unemployment than was generally believed to exist.

EXCHANGE RATES.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, July 1.

Paris ... 123.68

New York ... 4.86 1/2

Brussels ... 34.815

Geneva ... 25.07

Amsterdam ... 12.08 1/2

Milan ... 62.77

Berlin ... 20.385

Stockholm ... 18.035

Oslo ... 18.15

Copenhagen ... 18.16

Vienna ... 34.525

Prague ... 163 1/2

Helsingfors ... 183 1/2

Madrid ... 42.35

Lisbon ... 108.25

Athens ... 376

Bucharest ... 618

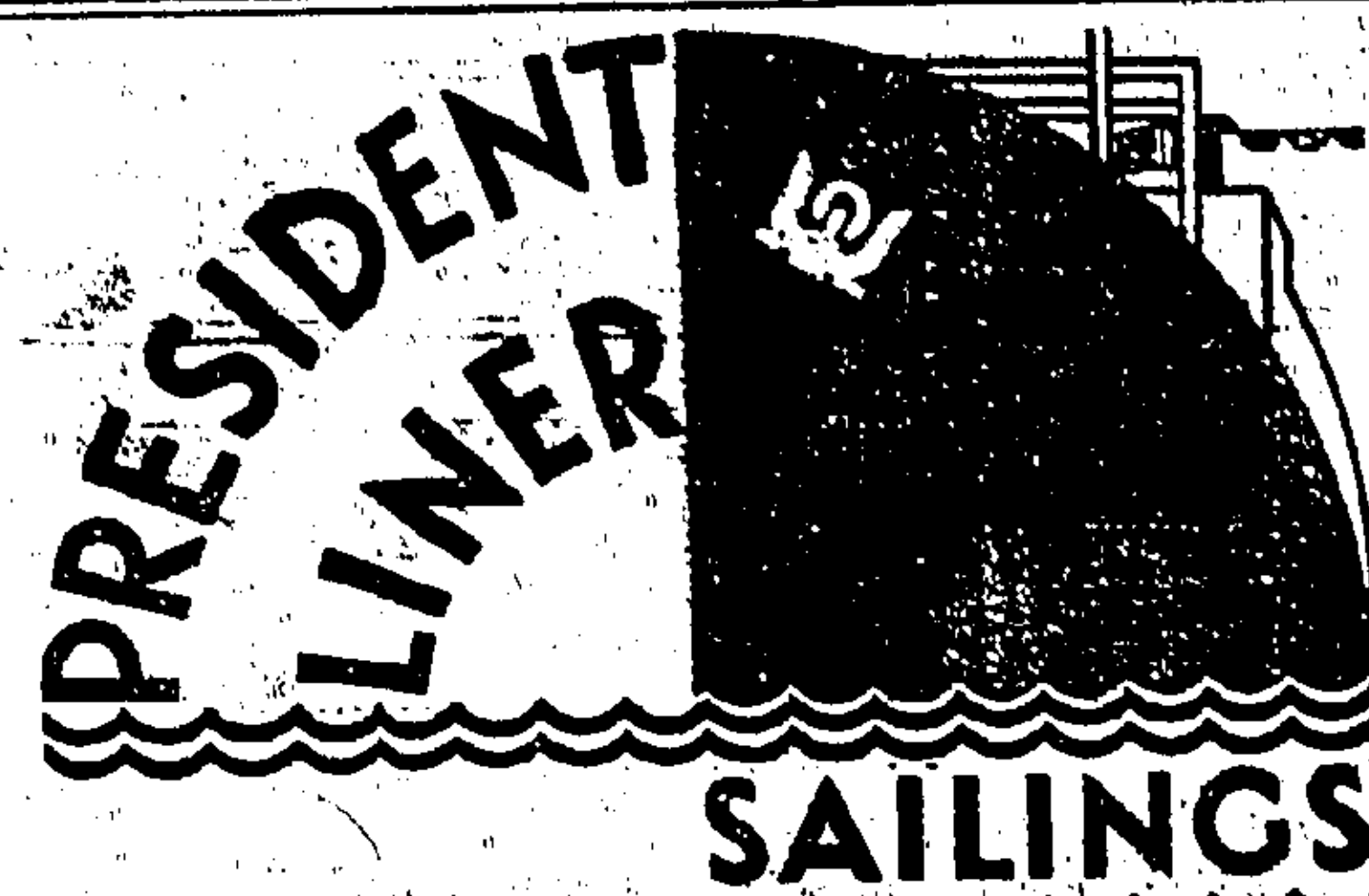
Bombay ... 1/5 13/16

Shanghai ... 1/6 1/2

Hong Kong ... 2/0 7/16

Yokohama ... 15 11/16

Silver (forward) ... 16 9/16



Weekly Trans-Pacific Service

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Pres. Jackson ... Tues., July 22

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Money and Markets

THE SHARE AND REAL ESTATE BROKERS' SOCIETY.

WEEKLY REPORT OF SHARE MARKET.

The market, as is usually the case after a holiday, is likely to open slowly. With abundance of funds seeking investment, we are hopeful that this week we shall see signs of business going ahead. We base this forecast on the assumption that we are in for an era of cheap money. Money is cheap and looks like remaining cheap, but its fundamental cause is due to industrial depression, and is not a sound basis for stock-market share value appreciation. Clients must not forget that speculation makes a direct appeal to the strongest instinct of human nature. Though banks' interest is lowered, we must not forget that the bankers' function has always been that of providing short-term credits, and not to lock up their resources for considerable periods in what are known as "frozen credits." We do not wish to see a low bank-rate, to create a stock market boom which has always ended in a slump, while the aftermath has invariably been a period of stagnation.

BANKS.—Maintained a firm front—moved up from \$1,500 to \$1,530 buyers and sales.

UNIONS.—Have hardened from \$445 sellers to \$445 buyers—sales \$445/450. A steady stream of funds is flowing in for investment purposes in this stock. These shares offer much scope for further substantial rises if purchased at present levels.

DOUGLAS.—Are wanted at \$24, but no shares are obtainable at this price. The break-up value of these shares is considerably in excess of the present price.

STEAMBOATS.—General idleness again characterized this week, which receded from \$25 to \$24 sellers and sales. The bazaar of uncertainty of impending competition is causing much anxiety, but we are inclined to the view that anticipation is worse than realization.

STAR FERRIES.—Prices moved in favour of holders from \$89 1/2 to \$91, indicating a rising tendency.

WHARVES.—A slightly harder tendency is discernible. Prices rose from \$172 to \$173 1/2 buyers. Sales \$172/173. We shall see a gradual return of interest and with it a slow adjustment of prices to more attractive levels.

DOCKS.—Are still passing through a period of depression. Sellers at \$25. Holders must be feeling worried at the low level at which their shares are standing. They should retain their interests, and hope for brighter days.

LANDS.—Are in good demand at \$35. Although we do not anticipate fireworks in these shares, we shall be very disappointed if we do not see them materially higher in the immediate future.

CEMENTS (Combined).—Showed a firm tone throughout the week. Prices rose from \$18.35 to \$19. At the close weakness developed and shares obtainable at \$19.15. A line of these shares has been acquired by a group of share-pusher, and we would advise small investors to be very cautious. There was a great deal of knowledgeable buying going on quietly for some time.

FORWARD BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS DURING THE WEEK ENDING.

	July.	August.	September.
Providents	\$51/5.80	\$6	\$6
Hotels	\$121/12.60	\$121/12.60	\$121.85
Lands	\$551/57	\$561/57	\$571/58
Cements Com.	\$18.75	\$20.20	\$201/20.30
China Lights	\$25	\$251/25.1	\$251/25.60
Electric	\$501/51	\$51	\$511/52
Tramways	\$111/11.1	\$111.33	\$111/11.60
Ropes	\$201/20.1	\$21/21.10	\$20.90/21.20

COLD SHIPMENTS TO AMERICA.

CHINA'S EXPORTS DURING CURRENT YEAR.

According to a statement issued by the American Consul-General, the total shipments of gold from the whole of China, including Hong Kong, to the United States for the month of May and for the first five months of the present year are as follows:—

May—21,463 oz. Troy, valued at C.\$434,351.
From January 1 to May 30—481,623.58 oz. Troy valued at C.\$8,933,105.

BROKERS' LOANS IN THE UNITED STATES.

[UNITED PRESS.]

Washington, June 28.—Brokers' loans for the past week once more showed a reduction according to today's weekly announcement. The decrease was C.\$371,000,000, bringing the total to C.\$3,492,000,000, which sets a new low level for 1930. The previous low level was C.\$3,341,000,000, and the high was C.\$4,294,000,000.

U.S. FEDERAL RESERVE REDISCOUNT RATE.

New York, June 28.—The rediscount rate of the Federal Reserve Bank is unchanged at 2 1/2 per cent. It was announced to-day.

THE SILK MARKET IN NEW YORK.

LOWEST LEVEL SINCE WAR.

[UNITED PRESS.]

New York, June 28.—An accumulation of selling orders to-day caused raw silk prices to break from three to 15 points, to the lowest levels since the World War. This break followed a similar decline in prices at Kobe and Yokohama.

CONSIGNEE NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.
OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Co's Vessel "AENEAS".

From UNITED KINGDOM VIA SINGAPORE.
are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 2nd July.

Optional Claims will not be landed here unless Notice has been given prior to the vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.
All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesday and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage period.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th July will be subject to Rent.
All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 22nd July, or they will not be recognised.
No Fire Insurance will be effected.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
2nd July, 1930. [956]

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO., LTD.
AND
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES per Co's Vessel "IXION".

From SEATTLE, VANCOUVER AND VICTORIA VIA JAPAN.
are requested to take Delivery of Flour, and Lumber Shipments as soon as the Vessel is ready to discharge and are hereby notified that if their Lighters are not placed alongside the Vessel as required, their Shipments will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, at their expense, where the Cargo will lie at Consignees' risk and subject to the Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from the Godown on and after 2nd July.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 A.M. and Noon within the Free Storage period.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown, and all General Cargo remaining undelivered after 8th July will be subject to Rent.
All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before 22nd July, or they will not be recognised.
No Fire Insurance will be effected.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hong Kong, 2nd July, 1930. [961]

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NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

THE Motor Ship "FULDA".

having arrived from BREMEN, HAMBURG and Ports Consignees' Cargo are hereby notified that their Cargo is being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon, where Delivery can be obtained.

Consignees are further notified that the Motor Ship "FULDA" has taken at HAMBURG and BREMEN through Cargo for HONG KONG, S.S. "MARTHA", S.S. "ANNEKAT", S.S. "EDELBERG", S.S. "GIZA", S.S. "PEKONIA", S.S. "KONG FROD", and S.S. "GANTER" from STETTIN, OLSCHAMM, GOTHENBURG, MAENTLYUOTO, KOBE, WILBURG and OSLO.

All Goods remaining undelivered after the 7th of July, 1930, will be subject to Rent.
No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.
Damaged Packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ashie, at 10 a.m. on the 6th of July, 1930.

No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown and all Claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the Ship's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognised.
Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for Commencement.

MELOHRES & CO., Agents.

NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN.

Hong Kong, 2nd July, 1930. [959]

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS ASSOCIATION.

TUESDAY, JULY 2.

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From	Per	Due
JAPAN ...	Typhoon ...	3rd July
EUROPE via SUEZ (Letters and papers, London, 5th June, and parcels, 20th May) ...	Kalyan ...	3rd July
JAPAN ...	Shirala ...	3rd July
CANADA, U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C. 15th June) and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London 12th, June) ...	Emp. of Canada ...	3rd July
JAPAN, SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SIBERIA (London, 14th June) ...	Sarnala ...	4th July
U.S.A. CANADA JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 14th June) ...	Pres. Pierce ...	4th July
SHANGHAI and SWATOW ...	Shawing ...	5th July
JAPAN ...	Typhoon ...	5th July
CALCUTTA and STRAITS ...	Yuan Sang ...	6th July
MANILA ...	Pres. Madison ...	7th July
AUSTRALIA and MANILA ...	Nallors ...	8th July
STRAITS ...	Urmor ...	8th July
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C. 15th June) ...	Emp. of Russia ...	14th July
U.S.A., HONOLULU, CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 20th June) ...	Pres. Jackson ...	14th July

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For	PER	DATE and TIME
Hohow ...	Lima ...	Thursday, 3rd, 8.30 A.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America, and EUROPE via San Francisco, due San Francisco, 24th July, and EUROPE via Siberia ...	Asama Maru ...	8.30 A.M.
Port Bayard ...	Wing Wo ...	9.30 A.M.
Straits ...	Van Hous ...	10.30 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa ...	Uli Maru ...	10.30 A.M.
Formosa ...	Nita Maru ...	2.30 P.M.
Haigong ...	Haidis ...	2.30 P.M.
Cebu ...	Biponor ...	2.30 P.M.
Swatow ...	Hydrangos ...	3.00 P.M.
Parcels for Germany via Hamburg ...	Emp. of Canada ...	4.30 P.M.
Manila ...	...	6.00 P.M.

For	PER	DATE and TIME
Hohow ...	Koriyang ...	Friday, 4th, 11.30 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta ...	Shirala ...	Parcels Noon
Manila, Australia (except places South of Townsville) and New Zealand via Thursday Island—due Thursday Island, 16th July ...	St. Albans ...	Parcels Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow ...	Haiyang ...	1.45 P.M.
Shanghai and EUROPE via Siberia ...	Kalyan ...	1.50 P.M.
Haigong ...	Qanton ...	2.00 P.M.
Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C., 26th July ...	Siberia Maru ...	Reg. 4.15 P.M.
Shanghai and EUROPE via Siberia ...	Siberia Maru ...	Letters 5.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 3rd August ...	Karnala ...	Parcels 4.30 P.M.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane 19th July ...	Brisbane Maru ...	Reg. 4.15 P.M.
Manila ...	Pres. Pierce ...	Letters 4.30 P.M.

For	PER	DATE and TIME
Amoy ...	Anting ...	Sunday, 8th, 8.30 A.M.
Bangkok via Swatow ...	Kalgan ...	9.00 A.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa ...	Qanton Maru ...	9.00 A.M.
Sandakan ...	Mauwang ...	9.00 A.M.

For	PER	DATE and TIME
Japan, U.S.A., Canada, C. and S. America and EUROPE via Victoria, B.C.—due Victoria, B.C., 25th July ...	Pres. Madison ...	Monday, 7th, 3.00 P.M.
Shanghai and EUROPE via Siberia ...	Pres. Madison ...	Reg. 4.15 P.M.
Fochow ...	Chenan ...	Letters 4.30 P.M.

For	PER	DATE and TIME
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow ...	Hai Ning ...	Tuesday, 8th, 2.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. and S. Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 6th Aug. ...	Hector ...	Reg. 4.30 P.M.
Amoy ...	Yuenang ...	Reg. 5.00 P.M.
Swatow ...	...	Letters 5.00 P.M.

For	PER	DATE and TIME
Swatow ...	Waishan ...	Wednesday, 9th, 6.30 A.M.
Straits and Calcutta ...	Kuleang ...	Parcels Noon
Amoy ...	Tainan ...	Letters 1.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow ...	Haiching ...	Friday, 11th, 1.00 P.M.
Manila ...	Emp. of Russia ...	Tuesday, 15th, 2.30 P.M.

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No. of Shares done—2,500,000.	Last Dividend.	Latest Sales.
Call Money—2½ per cent.		
American Smelting	4	58
Anaconda Copper	3.50	19
Baltimore and Ohio	7	103
Borg Warner	2	27
Continental Oil	3	20
City Service Common	None	30c. A
Curtis Wright Common	30c. A	7
Eastman Kodak	None	194
Electric Bond and Share	8B	60
Erie Railroad	6C	77
General Motors	40	40
General Ry. Signal	None.	40
Gold Dust	3	5
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	5	Missin
Granby Consolidated	2½	38
Hudson Motors	5	56
International Cement	8	23
International Nickel	5	Missin
Montgomery Ward	4	61
Nevada Consolidated Copper	1	24
Radio Corp.	3	24
Sears Roebuck & Co.	3	17
Simmons Co.	3	35
Standard Oil Co. of New York	None	3
Union Carbide and Carbon	24D	64
U.S. Rubber	3	25
United States Steel	1.80	32
	2.60	69
	None	22
	7	157

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AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 3rd July, Daylight
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"LIANGHONG"	On 3rd July, 3 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"ANKING"	On 6th July, 10 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUICHANG"	On 6th July, Noon
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KALGAN"	On 6th July, 3 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, NEWCHANG & DALRY	"CHENAN"	On 7th July, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 8th July, Noon
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 10th July, Daylight
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"KANOHOW"	On 10th July, 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"CHENGTO"	On 10th July, 11 a.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHENGTO & TIENTSIN	"KUEICHOW"	On 11th July, Noon
AMOI, SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"ANTUNG"	On 13th July, 10 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SIKSIANG"	On 13th July, Noon
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KIANGSU"	On 13th July, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, NEWCHANG & DALRY	"YINGCHOW"	On 14th June, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, WEIHAIWEI, CHENGTO & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 22nd July, Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"CHENGTO"	On 24th July, 10 a.m.

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ATOS II	29th July	ANGERS	29th July
D'ARTAGNAN	12th Aug.	SPHINX	12th Aug.
ANGERS	26th Aug.	G. METZINGER	1st Sept.
SPHINX	16th Sept.	ANDRE LEBON	15th Sept.
G. METZINGER	30th Sept.	PORTHOS	29th Sept.
ANDRE LEBON	14th Oct.	CHENONORAU	13th Oct.
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STATION	Hour	Barometer at Sea Level	Thermometer	Wind	Direction	Force	Rainfall	Humidity	Direction	Force	Rainfall	Humidity
		Inches	Millibars	Direction	Force	Direction	Force	Direction	Force	Direction	Force	Direction
Wladivostok	12	29.73	756.3	71	SE	2	c	6	29.39	759.3	82	S
Nemuro	11	29.82	757.3	...	SE	1	...	5	29.50	757.0	...	NW
Hakodate	"	29.86	758.5	...	SSW	1	...	...	29.56	758.5	...	...
Tokio	"	29.90	759.3	...	S	1	...	...	29.58	759.0	...	...
Kobe	"	29.96	761.0	...	SE	1	...	...	29.62	761.5	...	SSW
Kochi	"	29.96	761.0	...	SSW	1	...	...	29.58	761.5	...	...
Nagasaki	"	29.94	760.5	...	SE	1	...	...	29.58	761.5	...	SE
Kagoshima	"	29.86	758.5	...	SE	2	...	...	29.58	758.5	...	SE
Oshima	"	29.76	756.0	...	ESE	4	...	...	29.76	756.0	...	S
Naha	"	29.61	752.0	...	SE	4	...	...	29.61	752.0	...	ESE
Ishigakijima	"	30.00	762.0	...	HSE	1	...	...	30.06	763.5	...	SW
Bonin Island	"	29.79	756.6	76	ENE	4	b	6	29.85	758.4	70	91
Chesoo	15	29.75	755.7	90	60	SSE	4	b	...	...	...	...
Shanghai	14	29.82	757.4	80	92	SSE	4	o	...	...	...	...
Gutalaff	"	29.62	752.3	83	79	NE	4	r	...	...	...	...
Wenchow	"	29.62	752.3	83	79	NE	4	r	...	...	...	...
Foochow	"	29.50	749.3	80	93	NE	4	b	...	...	...	...
Amoy	"	29.42	747.2	87	83	E	2	b	...	...	...	...
Swatow	"	29.60	751.8	77	94	E	2	r	...	...	...	...
Taihou	11	29.60	750.3	85	...	...	0	c	...	...	...	...
Taihu	"	29.54	749.7	84	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tainan	"	29.52	748.4	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Koshun	"	29.50	748.0	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pescadore	14	29.49	748.0	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hong Kong	"	29.53	750.0	89	61	NE	2	b	...	...	...	...
Gap Rock	"	29.49	748.1	81	68	NE	1	c	...	...	...	...
Macao	"	29.63	752.8	81	75	ENE	5	c	...	...	...	...
Hoihow	"	29.55	750.6	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pratas Island	"	29.48	748.8	98	67	NW	2	b	...	...	...	...
Phu Lien	15	29.59	751.5	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tourane	"	29.68	753.9	84	81	W	1	o	...	...	...	...
Cape St. James	"	29.47	748.5	84	81	W	1	o	...	...	...	...
Basco	14	29.45	748.2	86	68	S	4	o	...	...	...	...
Aparri	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tuguegarao	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	"	29.60	751.8	81	80	SSW	4	o	...	...	...	...
Manila	"	29.63	752.7	86	61	WSW	4	o	...	...	...	...
Legaspi	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Calbayog	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tacloban	"	29.69	754.2	82	81	SW	6	o	...	...	...	...
Iloilo	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cebu	"	29.72	754.3	86	75	N	2	o	...	...	...	...
Surigao	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saipan	11.00	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Guam	12.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yap	11.00	29.74	755.4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pelew	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Labuan	14	29.81	757.2	88	69	SW	4	b	...	...	...	...

July 1d. 17h. 34m.—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 60 miles of Lat. 18° N. Long. 116° E., stationary or very slow.
July 2d. 8h. 43m.—Warning to Hong Kong, Coast Ports, &c.—Typhoon filling up in Lat. 18° N. Long. 116° E., position uncertain.
July 2d. 8h. 43m.—Local signal No. 1 lowered.
July 2d. 10h. 55m.—An anticyclone is central to the south of Tokio.
The typhoon in the China Sea appears to have filled up, leaving a trough of low pressure from the S. China Sea to the Formosa Channel.
Shanghai warning, 1d. 21h. 30m.—Typhoon of unknown intensity within 60 miles of Lat. 20° N. Long. 118° E., stationary or very slow. Recd. 1d. 22h. 13m.
Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.90 inch. Total since January 1, 32.84 inches, against an average of 39.98 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON JULY 3.

- 1.—Formosa Channel. ... Variable winds, moderate, squally.
- 2.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Lamocka. ... N. or variable winds, moderate; fair to showery.
- 3.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock. ...
- 4.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Hainan. ...

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, July 2.

Previous On Date at at at

Day at 4 p.m. 10 a.m. 4 p.m.

Barometer... 29.43 29.54 29.47

Temperature... 90 86 79

Humidity... 69 77 71

Wind... WSW W W

Direction... WSW W W

Force... 1 1 1

Weather... C O C

Rain... 0.60 0.00 0.93

Highest open-air Temperature, 1.93

Lowest open-air Temperature, 2.79

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle; E=Fog; L=Lightning;

M=Mist; O=Overcast; P=Passing showers; Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

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Lycemoon, for Singapore.

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Ning Ching, for Bangkok.

Nitto Maru, for Keelung.

Sorachi Maru, for Karatsu.

Sui Yang, for Canton.

Tai Yuan, for Amoy.

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To	STEAMSHIP	Date
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"FOOSHING" "WAISHING" "HOESANG" "HANGSANG"	Sun., 6th July, at 10 a.m. Wed., 9th July, at 10 a.m. Sun., 14th July, at 10 a.m. Wed., 18th July, at 10 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG" "HOSANG" "YUENSANG"	Wed., 9th July, at 3 p.m. Sat., 19th July, at 3 p.m. Sat., 26th July, at 3 p.m.
KOBE via AMOI & SHAI	"YUENSANG"	Tues., 8th July, at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOI, MOJI & KOBE	"KUMSANG" "SUOSANG"	Fri., 18th July, at 7 a.m. Fri., 25th July, at 7 a.m.
SANDAKAN	"MAUSANG" "HINSANG"	Sun., 6th July, at Noon Sun., 20th July, at 3 p.m.
TIENTSIN via SWATOW & FOOCHOW	"CHIPSANG" "CHEONGSHING"	Sun., 13th July, at 7 a.m. Tues., 22nd July, at 7 a.m.

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YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS.

IMPORTS 9,400 TONS;
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19,300 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office, of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British	Cargo for	Through
Lycemoon	H.K.	Ports.
Swatow	500	—
Mausang	—	—
Sandakan	4,000	—
Haiyang	—	—
Swatow	200	—
Hydrangea	—	—
Swatow	112	—
Taiyuan	—	60
Canton	—	—
Seistan	—	—
Singapore	600	—
American	—	—
Michigan	—	—
Portland	18	452
French	—	—
Athos	—	—
Marseilles	149	4,631
Portos	—	—
Shanghai	2	230
Dutch	—	—
Van Heutz	—	—
Amoy	—	—
Swatow	—	619
German	—	—
Ermland	—	—
Kobe	10	5,032
Japanese	—	—
Ronan Maru	—	—
Newchwang	2,050	1,700
Kamakura Maru	—	—
Moji	320	1,731
Madras Maru	—	—
Sakito	367	3,123
Canton Maru	—	—
Keelung	997	—
Deli Maru	—	—
Canton	—	30
Chinese	—	—
Cheong On	—	—
Shanmi	40	—
Shiu Hing	—	—
Macao	64	—
Total	9,420	18,213

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British	Arr.	Dep.
American	1	1
French	2	1
Dutch	1	1
German	1	0
Norwegian	1	1
Japanese	6	2
Chinese	3	2
Portuguese	0	1
Total	21	15

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Lycemoon (Br.) Swatow	306
Haiyang (Br.) Foochow	55
Swatow	55
Hydrangea (Br.) Swatow	140
Taiyuan (Br.) Canton	75
Seistan (Br.) Singapore	655
Athos (Fr.) Marseilles, Sai	93
gon	—
(Continued on next Column.)	—

ARRIVALS.

July 1.

Aeneas, British str., 3,356 tons, Capt. W. K. Wallad, from Singapore, Holt's Wharf.—B. & S.
An Lee, Chinese str., 992 tons, Capt. S. Asano, from Canton, buoy No. 014.—Yee Tai Hong.
Hilda, Italian str., 2,974 tons, Capt. Tarahorehira, from Shanghai, buoy No. A10.—Doddwell & Co.
Kwai Sang, British str., 1,435 tons, Capt. F. Jovitt, from Canton, Kowloon Dock.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Michigan, American str., 3,474 tons, Capt. C. Lechner, from Manila, buoy No. A24.—State S.S. Co.
Mau Sang, British str., 2,063 tons, Capt. G. F. Matthews, from Sandakan, Yaumati Anchorage.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Nitta Maru, Japanese str., 1,278 tons, Capt. R. Masuda, from Canton, Yaumati.—O.S.K.
Rousan Maru, Japanese str., 1,553 tons, Capt. R. Fukuhara, from Newchwang.—M.B.K.
Thurland Castle, British str., 3,608 tons, Capt. R. L. Hughes, from Manila, Leichikok.—Doddwell & Co.
July 2.
Canton Maru, Japanese str., 2,820 tons, Capt. A. Iwasaki, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf.—O.S.K.
Dorry, German str., 875 tons, Capt. J. Banhu, from Canton, buoy No. C41.—Kwong New Tai.

Ermland, German str., 3,387 tons, Capt. H. Engell, from Shanghai, buoy No. A8.—Jebson & Co.
Hai Yang, British str., 2,289 tons, Capt. W. G. Erwin, from Foochow and ports.—Douglas
Wharf.—Douglas S.S. Co.
Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On S.S. Co.
Ixon, British str., 6,520 tons, Capt. J. A. Stewart, from Milke, buoy No. A4.—B. & S.
Kwei Yang, British str., 1,560 tons, Capt. C. P. Miles, from Amoy, buoy No. B13.—B. & S.
Madras Maru, Japanese str., 2,298 tons, Capt. S. Ama, from Moji and Sakito, Kowloon Wharf.—O.S.K.
Nagara, Swedish str., 3,980 tons, Capt. Armstedt, from Shanghai, buoy No. A5.—Gilman & Co.
Seistan, British str., 1,971 tons, Capt. A. C. Inglis, from Singapore, buoy No. B38.—E. Fung & Co.
Suiyang, British str., 1,594 tons, Capt. F. W. Potter, from Swatow, buoy No. B12.—B. & S.
Tai Yuan, British str., 2,109 tons, Capt. R. Robertson, from Canton, buoy No. B9.—B. & S.
Van Heutz, Dutch str., 2,749 tons, Capt. J. Groothoff, from Swatow, buoy No. A8.—J.C.J.L.
Wai Shing, British str., 1,170 tons, Capt. J. W. Pettigrew, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

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"JEYPORE"	5,318	26th July [Mar.]	L'don, Hull, R'dm. & A'warp.
"KALAN"	9,144	2nd Aug.	Man, L'don, Hull, R'dm. & A'warp.
"KALPUTANA"	16,848	18th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KASHMIR"	8,965	30th Aug.	Marseilles, L'don, R'dm. & A'warp.
"MANTUA"	10,946	13th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
"KASHGAR"	9,005	27th Sept.	Marseilles, L'don, R'dm. & A'warp.
"MALWA"	10,980	11th Oct.	Marseilles & London.
"KHYBER"	9,114	25th Oct.	Marseilles, L'don, R'dm. & A'warp.
"MOBIA"	10,954	8th Nov.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	22nd Nov.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,819	6th Dec.	do.
"KALAN"	9,144	20th Dec.	Man, L'don, R'dm. & A'warp.
"RANCHI"	16,660	3rd Jan.	Marseilles & London.
"KASHMIR"	8,965	17th Jan.	do.
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"TAKIWA"	7,936	15th July	do.
"TILAWA"	10,008	9th Aug.	do.
"TALANBA"	8,018	18th Aug.	do.
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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"KALAN"	9,144	4th July, 3 p.m.	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"NELLURE"	6,953	18th July	Moji, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama.
"KALPUTANA"	16,848	18th July	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KIDDERPORE"	5,334	18th July	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe.
"TILAWA"	10,008	18th July	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"TALANBA"	8,018	25th July	do.
"KASHMIR"	8,965	1st Aug.	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
"BOBDA"	5,300	2nd Aug.	Shanghai & Kobe.
"TALMA"	10,000	10th Aug.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"MANTUA"	10,946	18th Aug.	Shai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
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"MOBIA"	10,954	31st Jan.	do.
"MACEDONIA"	11,120	14th Feb.	do.
"RAWALPINDI"	16,819	28th Feb.	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"KHIVA"	9,135	14th Mar.	Amoy, Moji, Kobe & Y'hama.
"KALPUTANA"	16,848	27th Mar.	Shai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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